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Hall, Arthur R. ..... Route 1, Box 41, Greensboro, N. C.
Jessup, Belvin ..... 1207 Moody Rd., Greensboro, N. C.
Johnson, W. N. ..... 1000 Julian St., Greensboro, N.C.
Martin, R. M. ..... 195 Nelson St., Kernersville, N. C.
Minor, J. H. ..... Rt. 7, Box 521, Greensboro, N. C.
Morehead, F. D. (Retired) ..... Rt. 2, Box 617, Greensboro, N. C.
Napper, Willie L. ..... Rt. 2, Box 675, Greensboro, N. C.
Rankins, W. T. ..... 3411 Jonah Terrace, Greensboro, N. C.

Laurinburg District

Campbell, E. C. ..... P. O. Box 413, Rowland, N. C.
Davis, Walter ..... P. O. Box 279 Laurel Hill, N. C.
Graham, James E. ..... 409 Gurley St., Goldsboro, N. C.
McCallum, Jefferson ..... General Delivery, Maxton, N. C.
McEchain, John ..... Rt. 1, Box 47, Raiford, N. C.
McGirt, D. R. ..... P. O. Box 428, Rowland, N. C.
McLean, E. R. ..... 223 N. Pine St., Laurinburg, N. C.
Monroe, John ..... General Delivery, Red Springs, N. C.
Montague, F. M. ..... Box 1487, Laurinburg, N. C.
Tisdale, L. T. ..... 225 Pennsylvania Ave., Fayetteville, N. C.
Williams, Esau A. ..... Route 2, Box 127, Mullins, S. C.

Western District

Davenport, O. S. ..... Lenoir, N. C.
Douglas, A. H. ..... Mooresville, N. C.
Dula, B. J. ..... 315 N. Fairview Dr., Lenoir, N. C.
Hill, C. O. ..... Route 1, Stanley, N. C.
McCorkle, T. D. (Retired) ..... East "D" St., Newton, N. C.
McDowell, R. H. ..... 225 Cansler St., Kings Mt., N. C.
McLean, James Monroe ..... Rt. 1, Box 165, Stanley, N. C.
Scott, Clifton ..... Advance, N. C.
Walton, M. W. .....
Williams, J. T. ..... 29 Argyle Lane, Asheville, N. C.
Worth, Leroy ..... 520 York St., Gastonia, N. C.

Winston District

Carter, P. G. ..... 906 Cassell St., High Point, N. C.
East, Sophia ..... Pilot Mountain, N. C.
Eldridge, L. B. ..... P. O. Box 236, Rural Hall, N. C.
Grady, Alexander ..... 463 W. 24½ St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Jones, L. H. ..... 1727 Grant St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Miller, Buford ..... P. O. Box 131, Rural Hall, N. C.
Withers, Otto ..... Pine Hall, N. C.

III

Lay Members to the Annual Conference

GREENSBORO DISTRICT LAY MEMBERS

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Bass Chapel	Mr. A. R. Rankin Route 2, Box 65A Greensboro, N. C.	Mrs. Lenora Hinton 1303 Sloan Street Greensboro, N. C.
Brown Summit	Mr. J. L. Bolden Route 1, Box 25A Brown Summit, N. C.	Mr. R. H. Revels Route 1, Box 219 Brown Summit, N. C.
Browning Chapel	Mrs. Sadie L. Shepherd 1733 Willow Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mr. Samuel Rouson
Celia Phelps	Miss Ada M. Tonkins 509 Benbow Road Greensboro, N. C.	Miss Jo Ann Goosby Herbin Street Greensboro, N. C.
Collins-Holmes Grove	Mrs. O. C. Cardwell	Mr. D. E. Ellis 110 Alamance Road Greensboro, N. C.
Cox's Chapel and Shady Grove	Miss Shirley Warren	Mrs. Arlene Cheeks
Durham	Mr. James S. Bolden 2311 Elmira Avenue Durham, N. C.	
Empire Circuit	Mrs. Charles Spencer Route 1 Seagrove, N. C.	Mr. J. H. Spinks Route 1, Box 104 Ramseur, N. C.
Mt. Tabor	Mrs. Mildred Davis 2115 Jones Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mr. Arthur Crump P. O. Box 752 Greensboro, N. C.
St. Matthews	Mr. C. M. Winchester 1506 Benbow Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mr. William Phifer 2108 Vale Place Greensboro, N. C.
Union Memorial	Mr. J. W. Sapp 1509 S. Benbow Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mrs. Lena McMillian 2121 McConnell Road Greensboro, N. C.
Warren Street and Mt. Carmel	Mr. D. W. Morehead 625 E. Florida Street Greensboro, N. C.	Mrs. Thelma Parks 1206 Barthwell Street Greensboro, N. C.
Kernersville		
Laughlin Memorial	Miss Peggy Neil 1703 Huffine Mill Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mr. Anthony Vincent 1720 Huffine Mill Road Greensboro, N. C.
Leaksville	Mrs. O. R. Simpson Route 1, Box 205 Leaksville, N. C.	Mr. G. B. Johnson P. O. Box 604 Leaksville, N. C.
Mt. Zion and Zion Hill	Mrs. Mozelle Boyd Route 1 Guilford, N. C.	Mrs. Lillie Farabee Route 1 Pleasant Garden, N. C.
New Goshen	Mrs. Ruby Hall Webster Road Greensboro, N. C.	

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Newport News and Pleasant Ridge	Mrs. Rosa L. Crayton 1231-25th Street Newport News, Va.	Bookie Thomas 1707 Brown Avenue Newport News, Va.
Norfolk	Mrs. Olivita Martin 930 Denhart Street Norfolk 4, Va.	Mrs. Dorothy Harper 1225 W. 41st Street Norfolk 8, Va.
Oxford Circuit	Mrs. Georgiannia Hester 115 Granville Street Oxford, N. C.	
Raleigh	Mr. E. L. Raeford 600 S. Bloodworth Street Raleigh, N. C .	Mr. W. L. Walker P. O. Box 1081 Raleigh, N. C.
Raleigh Crossroads	Miss Estelle McCallum 609 Jamestown Road Greensboro, N. C.	Mr. Arthur Gilbreath 217 McConnell Road Greensboro, N. C.
Ramseur	Mrs. Lena Philips P. O. Box 354 Ramseur, N. C.	
Randleman		
Reidsville	Mr. C. C. Watkins Box 22 Reidsville, N. C.	Mr. L. M. Towns Box 144 Reidsville, N. C.
St. James and Summerfield	Mr. Jarvis Mitchell Route Summerfield, N. C.	Mr. James W. Maynard, Sr. Post Office Sedalia, N. C.
St. Paul and New Bethel	Miss Shirley Galloway Route 1, Box 92 Reidsville, N. C.	
St. Peters	Miss Dianne Laughlin Route 1, Box 92 Randleman, N. C.	Miss Gwendolyn Parsons Route 1 Randleman, N. C.
Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill	Miss Bettye Lee Maynard Route 6 Reidsville, N. C.	

LAURINBURG DISTRICT LAY MEMBERS

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Charlotte	Mr. Will T. Harris	Mrs. Lula Brown
Cool Springs and Philadelphia	Miss Esther Little	
Fairmont and St. Peter	Mrs. H. F. Dungee	
Fayetteville	Mrs. K. M. Webb	Mrs. S. W. Ashe
Goldsboro		
Hamlet	Mr. Hubert Nelson	Mr. LeGrand Eden
Hoffman	Mr. J. D. McLeod	Mr. O. L. Peace
Laurinburg and Beaver Dam	Mrs. Matilda Steward	Mr. Cornell McNair
Lumberton	Mrs. Mary J. Francis	Mr. J. B. Mitchell
Maxton and Bolton	Miss Ester Graham	Mr. Bruce Hargrove

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Maxton Circuit and Clara Hall		Mr. R. B. McDeen
Piney Grove and Beauty Spot	Mr. Willie Douglas	Mr. A. R. McNair
Red Springs	Mrs. Alberta Douglas	Mrs. Trula McKeithan
Rowland and Salem	Mr. James Bowens	
Sanford Circuit	Mary J. Walker	Cora Harrington
St. Mark and Hickory Bend	Mr. Zack Fairley, Jr.	
Wall Chapel and Mt. Zion	Miss Annie L. Monroe	Miss Texie A. McRae
Wilmington	Mrs. Cathryn Roy	

WESTERN DISTRICT LAY MEMBERS

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Asheville	Mr. Madison C. Lennon 136 Wyoming Road Asheville, N. C.	
Catawba Circuit	Mr. Andrew Brown Catawba, N. C.	
Denver	Miss Beulah Caldwell Route 1 Denver, N. C.	
Forest City	Mr. W. H. Knight Ledbetter Street Spindale, N. C .	
Gastonia	Mrs. Elizabeth Hassen 504 N. York Gastonia, N. C.	
Hickory	Mr. D. E. Forney South Center Street Hickory, N. C.	
Kings Mountain (St. Paul)	Mrs. Cainie Brown Canseler Street Kings Mountain, N. C.	
Lenoir	Mr. John P. Jones 420 E. Finley Avenue Lenoir, N. C.	
Lowesville	Mr. McLaurin Nixon Mt. Holly, N. C.	
Marion	Mrs. Nora Sisk Marion, N. C.	
Mooresboro and Granite Falls	Mrs. Emily Whitrow Mooresboro, N. C.	
Mooresville	Mr. Earl Sherril Mooresville, N. C.	
Mt. Holly	Mr. Bleaker McCorkle 112 E. Mims Avenue Mt. Holly, N. C.	
Newton	Miss Johnsie McCorkle 327 Ervin Avenue Newton, N. C.	

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Philadelphia and Brooks	Mrs. Madilla Carson Box 162 Lawndale, N. C.	
Shelby and Bessemer	Mrs. Herbert Gidney Shelby, N. C.	
Stanley	Mrs. Louise Pryor Route 1, Box 496 Davidson, N. C.	
Statesville Circuit	Mr. Alvin Morrison Route 4, Box 129 Statesville, N. C.	
West Asheville	Mr. John Bowman 77 Saratoga Street Asheville, N. C.	
Wilkesboro and Philadelphia	Mrs. C. W. Bailey Wilkesboro, N. C.	

WINSTON DISTRICT LAY MEMBERS

Charge	Delegates	Reserves
Advance and Chestnut Grove	Mrs. Charity Vinson	
Asheboro	Mrs. Ophelia Lynn	
Brooks Memorial	Mr. N. S. Morehead	
Elkin and Jonesville	Mr. Clifford Morrison	
Glenola and Liberty Grove	Mr. R. E. Mills	
Hoover's Chapel	Miss Dorothy Skeene	
Lexington	Mrs. Clora Smitheman	
Madison	Miss Betty Franklin	
Mt. Airy and Jones Temple	Miss Iona Alston	
Oak Grove	Mrs. Ruth Brock	
Penn Hook and Boone Mill	Miss Lillie F. Smith	
Rural Hall and Pilot Mountain	Mr. John Lovell	
Saints Home	Mrs. Sallie McGee	
St. Andrews	Mr. A. W. Harper	
St. Mark (High Point)	Mr. L. E. Whitaker	
St. Paul	Mr. R. S. Hayes	
Walkertown	Mrs. Minnie B. Mitchell	

IV

Daily Proceedings

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION, 13 JUNE 1962
7:30 P.M.

Opening Service: L. A. Brown, presiding. Greetings of welcome were presented on behalf of the city by Waldo C. Faulkner, City Councilman; the Greensboro Ministers' Fellowship by R. M. Jones, President; Bennett College by Dr. Willa B. Player. Response was given by R. C. Erwin.

8:00 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Evangelism: O. W. Burwick, presiding. The address was brought by Dr. W. D. Lester, Representative of the General Board of Evangelism, who spoke on: "The Call of the Wild." Music was furnished by St. Matthews Church Choir, directed by Miss Juanita Wells.

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Benediction

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, 14 JUNE 1962
9:00 A.M.

Communion Service: Bishop Edgar A. Love, Celebrant, assisted by the District Superintendents.

Bishop Love read a passage of Scripture from St. Luke 8:13 ff and used this passage as a background to his communion meditation.

An offering of one hundred forty two dollars and eighteen cents ($142.18) was received for the work of the Grays, Missionaries in West Africa.

BUSINESS SESSION
10:35 A.M.

The Conference was organized as follows:
Assistant Secretaries: A. E. Robinson, J. W. Ferree
Assistant Treasurer: H. A. Smith
Assistant Statisticians: J. B. Bethea
Postmaster: S. E. NeSmith
Organist: J. H. McCallum
Reporter: D. S. Harkness

The program as printed was adopted as the official program of the Conference, with necessary alterations.

Committee on Courtesy Presented the following visitors: Mrs. Edgar A. Love, First Lady of the Area; Rev. D. A. Costner, Pastor, Fairview Baptist Church, Cherryville; Dr. T. B. Echols, General Board of Pensions of the Methodist Church; Mrs. Vivienne Gray, Missionary to West Africa; Dr Charles B. Copher, Dean, Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia; and Rev. Frank Williams, Pastor, Metropolitan Methodist Church, Baltimore, Maryland, representing the **Central Christian Advocate.**

Motion, by J. E. Brower, that a telegram be sent to Bro. W. S. McLeod, expressing our concern for his illness. Motion passed.

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11:15 A.M.

Memorial Service: Eugene Black, presiding. He was assisted by T. C Tarpley and J. W. Jones. The ministerial member who had died during the year was C. L. Gidney; Minister's wife: Mrs. R. M. Martin; lay member: Mr. V. J. Caveness. Memorial message was brought by A. E. Robinson. His text was taken from Revelations 7:13, 14. His theme was: "These are they Whom We Remember With Our Hearts."

Benediction

Adjournment

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, 14 JUNE 1962
2:15 P.M.

Devotions: Conducted by S. E. NeSmith.

2:30 P.M.

The boundary of the Conference was set as the first twelve rows of seats from the front of the Little Theatre.

Reports were given by the Superintendents of each District (See reports).

Motion, by G. A. Brooks, that the District Superintendents comprise a committee to determine which charge and pastors have raised 75% or more of Conference apportionments and are eligible for Certificates of Merit. Motion passed.

Reports and recommendations from the Inter-jurisdictional Committee and from the Committee on Five were passed out to the Conference.

Dr. Charles B. Copher, Dean, Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia, spoke on behalf of Gammon Seminary. He spoke primarily on theological training and the shortage of ministers.

Report from the Board of Evangelism was distributed by O. W. Burwick. (See reports). Recommendation number four of this report was tabled for further consideration. The remainder of the report was adopted.

Report from the Board of Education was distributed by J. B. Bethea. Report is to be considered tomorrow.

A check in the amount of $1,383.85 was presented from the Methodist Publishing House. Same was received to be used by Board of Pensions for Conference Claimants.

Rev. Frank Williams spoke on behalf of Dr. L. Scott Allen and the **Central Christian Advocate.**

W. T. Brown distributed a report from the Southern California-Arizona Conference on: "The Church Ministry of Healing."

4:00 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Missions: R. D. Sharpe, presiding. Mrs. Vivienne Gray, Missionary to West Africa spoke concerning missions and Christianity in Africa. Filmstrips showing the environment in which she and Rev. Gray work and some facets of their Missionary program was shown.

An additional offering for their work was received in the amount of $25.01.

The report of the Board of Missions was distributed by R. D. Sharpe, to be acted on tomorrow.

Hymn No. 483

Benediction

Adjournment

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION, 14 JUNE 1962
7:30 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Education: Joseph B. Bethea, presiding, assisted by J. T. Jones and Marshall McCallum. Mrs. Bernice Otudeko, Bennett College, presented two solos. Music was rendered by the Conference Choir, directed by Miss Charlotte Alston and Miss Juanita G. Wells.

Greetings were presented on behalf of:

Allen High School by: Miss Betty Sue Smith
Bennett College by: Mrs. Blanche Raiford
Inter-Conference Commission by: Rev. W. M. Wells
Wesley Foundation, A&T College, by: Rev. W. T. Brown

The Anniversary Address was delivered by Dr. James S. Thomas, Representative of the General Board of Education, The Methodist Church, Nashville, Tennessee. He used as a theme: "Christian Education as A Unity."

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Benediction

Adjournment

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, 15 JUNE 1962
9:00 A.M.

Devotions: Conducted by Clyde E. Dungee.

9:15 A.M.

BUSINESS SESSION

On recommendation of the Committee on the Journal minutes of yesterday's session were approved.

On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, the character of all ministers was approved.

Report of the Superintendent of the Winston District, which was omitted yesterday was given. (See reports).

A telegram from the Tennessee Annual Conference was read by the Secretary. On MOTION by R. B. McRae the telegram was received and the Secretary authorized to send telegrams to all Annual Conferences now in session at which we have no fraternal delegate.

Report of the Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications was given by L. M. Mayfield. (See reports). By vote of 36-9, Joe Thomas Williams and Esau Alfred Williams were discontinued as members on trial.

James F. Campbell was transferred to the Lexington Conference effective as of 18 May 1962. John S. Mills was transferred to the Washington Conference effective as of 5 August, 1961.

The Committee on Conference Relation's report was made by G. M. Phelps (see reports). Report was adopted.

The report of the Administrative Secretary was made by D. L. Ridout. Motion, By R. C. Sharpe, that report be included in Conference Journal. Motion passed.

Special privilege of the floor was granted to D. L. Ridout at which time he paid tribute to Bishop and Mrs. Edgar A. Love for their services to the Conference and the area for the last ten years. The Conference stood in appreciation of their services.

Motion, by O. W. Burwick that the tribute be included in the Conference Journal. Motion unanimously passed.

Report of the Commission on World Service and Finance was made by J. E. Brower (See reports). After much discussion and debate the report was adopted.

S. J. Starnes, Editor, **N. C Christian Advocate** brought words of greetings.

Visitors presented were Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Madison, Randleman; Rev. David Andrews of the Washington Conference.

The report of the Board of Education was given by J. B. Bethea. Report was adopted. (See reports).

W. T. Brown. Director of Wesley Foundation, A&T College made his report. (See reports).

Recommendations for the Board of Directors of the Wesley Foundation throughout the state were approved. (See organization).

J. T. Jones, Director of Wesley Foundation, North Carolina College made his report. (See reports).

An additional offering of $53.66 was received for the work of the groups in West Africa.

12:00 Noon

Noon-Day Service: Godfrey Tate, Jr., presiding. The noon-day message was delivered by Dr. Charles P. Bowles, Pastor, West Market Stret Methodist Church, Greensboro. His theme was: "The Structure of Happiness".

Benediction

Adjournment

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, 15 JUNE 1962

3:15 P.M.

BUSINESS SESSION

St. Paul Church, Winston Salem, was the unanimous choice for the site of the 105th Session of the Conference, by vote of the Conference,

Report from the Committee on District Boundaries was made by J. W. Jones. The Committee recommended that no district boundaries be changed at this time. John Blackwell, a member of Simpson Church in Charlotte was granted special privilege to speak on the question. Motion, by J. W. Jones, that the report be adopted. SUBSTITUTE MOTION, by G. M. Phelps that the committee on District Boundaries be continued for another year to study further the transfer of Charlotte or any other church and to give members of said Church opportunity to meet with the Committee. Amendment carried.

The report of the Board of Christian Concern was given by G. A. Brooks (See reports). A second section of the report was made by A. E. Robinson. The remainder of the report was suspended at this time.

A resolution was presented by H. W. Phillips that the North Carolina Conference apply for membership in the North Carolina Council of Churches. Resolution adopted (See resolutions).

Rev. Cecil Bishop, Pastor, Trinity A.M.E. Zion Church, Greensboro, was presented to the Conference.

W. T. Brown continued with the report of the Board of Christian Social Concerns (Se reports). This section was adopted. On MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, copies of this report were ordered sent to the President of the United States, to our Congressmen from North Carolina. Motion passed.

4:15 P.M.

Anniversary of Board of Lay Activities: Clarence M. Winchester, presiding. Report from the Greensboro District was given by J. W. Sapp, Lay Leader. Report from Laurinburg District was given by Bruce Hargroves, Lay Leader. A. L. Morrison made remarks concerning the Western District. A. W. Harper reported on the Methodist Men's Quadrennial meeting held at Purdue University last year. The Conference Lay Leader's report was given by C. M. Winchester (See reports).

Telegrams of greetings were read from Florida Annual Conference by John G. Corry. Telegram was received and greetings be sent to Florida Conference.

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FRIDAY EVENING SESSION, 15 JUNE 1962
7:00 P.M.

Anniversary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service: Miss A. M. Tonkins, presiding. Miss Charlotte Alston, Instructor in Music, Bennett College, delivered the main address. She also showed slides relating to her work in Japan, where she was a missionary for three years.

8:00 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Christian Social Concern: Glenn A. Brooks, presiding. Dr. W. Astor Kirk, Director of Public Affairs, Division of Human Relations, General Board of Christian Social Concerns, The Methodist Church, Washington, D. C., delivered the main address.

Miss Geneva J. Holmes related her experiences on the "Churchman's Study Tour of Western Europe and Russia," which was held in July, 1960.

Music was furnished by Union Memorial Church Choir, directed by Arthelia Siler.

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SATURDAY MORNING SESSION, 16 JUNE 1962
9:00 A.M.

Devotions: Conducted by Henry Joyner

9:15 A.M.
BUSINESS SESSION

On recommendation of the Committee on the Journal, the minutes of yesterday's session were approved and adopted.

The resolution presented by the Board of Christian Social Concerns was approved by vote of the Conference. (See resolutions).

Motion, by D. S. Harkness, that the Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns be designated as the Conference agency to implement the recommendations from the Cincinnati Exploratory Conference. Motion passed.

By vote of three (3) for, eighty-nine (89) against and six (6) abstaining the Conference disapproved transfer of the Delaware Conference to the Northeastern Jurisdiction.

By vote of one (1) for, ninety-two (92) against and seven (7), abstaining the Conference disapproved transfer of the Delawere Conference to the Northeastern Jurisdiction.

Charles Edward Tyson was received into the full membership of the Conference.

November 23, 1962 was set as the date for the launching of the Aldersgate year, as requested by the Conference Board of Evangelism. Bennett College was designated as the place.

Report of the Town and Country Work Commission was given by G. E. Hogue (See reports). Report was adopted.

Report of the Television, Radio and Film Commission was given by G. E. Hogue (See reports). The report was adopted with the exclusion of recommendations one (1) and three (3).

Belvin Jessup had his orders recognized as a local deacon, coming from the A.M.E. Church.

Clifton Scott, Sr. was elected to local deacon's orders.

Officers of the Board of Lay Activities were elected by the Conference (See organization).

Report of the Board of Hospitals and Homes was made by A. L Morrison (see reports). Report was adopted.

Report of the Treasurer of Board of Trustees was made by J. E. Brower (see reports). Report was adopted.

Treasurer's report was given by J. W. Gwyn (see reports). The report was received and filed for audit.

Motion, by J. W. Ferree, that the afternoon session convene at 2:00 P.M. Motion passed.

11:00 A.M.

Anniversary of Minister's Wives: Mrs. Shirley C. Bethea, presiding. Corsages were presented by Mrs. Edgar A. Love to Mrs. F. D. Caldwell, Mrs. G. H. Caldwell and Mrs. G. H. Patterson, whose husbands retired last year. Mrs. S. L. Townsend presented a token of appreciation to Mrs. S. C. Bethea, retiring president.

A skit entitled, "The Role of the Minister's Wife Today," was presented by the group.

Financial reports were given by each district (see reports).

New wives were presented to the group by Shirley C. Bethea.

Remarks by Bishop Edgar A. Love

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Motion, by J. E. Brower, that skit presented by minister's wives be mimeographed and printed in journal at expense of the Conference.

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, 16 JUNE 1962

2:00 P.M.

Devotions: Conducted by S. L. Townsend.

2:10 P.M.

BUSINESS SESSION

Report of the Statistician was made by G. A. Brooks. (See Tables) Report adopted.

Rev. Jack Crum, Moncure, North Carolina, brought fraternal greetings from the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction.

Miles Murphy was appointed as fraternal delegate from our Conference to the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction.

C. M. Winchester made a report concerning the Laymen's meeting of yesterday. He stated that the laymen were acquainted with the spirit and background of the recommendations coming out of the Cincinnati Exploratory Conference. The Norfolk Church was also discussed and received the support of the Laymen.

On suggestion of G. H. Caldwell, a rising vote of appreciation was given Miss Isabelle Jones for her years of service as a missionary. Miss Jones responded briefly.

Report of Board of Pensions was made by C. E. Strickland (see reports). Report approved. Further explanation concerning the Reserve Pension Fund was made by O. W. Burwick. He urged that we come into the full Reserve Pension Fund program. He also explained the hospitalization plan of the Board of Pensions.

Motion, by L. A. Brown, that the District Superintendents be empowered to hold District Conferences at their discretion. Motion passed.

Sunday, 18 November was set as Golden Cross Sunday, on MOTION by S. L. Townsend.

Motion, by C. M. Winchester, that money collected for the jeep in India be used for scholarships in India. Motion passed. MOTION, by J. W. Gwyn, that the amounts contributed be printed in the Journal. Motion passed.

Motion, by John G. Corry, that the Committee on the Journal approve the minutes of today's and tomorrow's session without appearing before the Conference. Motion passed.

Motion, by John G. Corry, that after the conduct of such business as may be necessary, and after the reading of the appointments, that the Conference stand adjourned without date. Motion passed.

Bishop Love indicated that the District Superintendents had his approval to use Jacob T. Williams and Esau A. Williams, who were discontinued on trial yesterday, if they could find a place for them.

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SUNDAY MORNING SESSION, 17 JUNE 1962
9:00 A.M.

Love Feast: Conducted by I. A. Friend and B. L. Burge.

10:15 A.M.

Ordination Service: Conducted by Bishop Love, assisted by the District Superintendents. Clifton Scott, Sr. was ordained as a Local Deacon. Belvin Jessup had his Orders from the A.M.E. Church recognized as Local Deacon's Orders in our church. W. S. McLeod retired.

10:30 A.M.

Morning Worship Service: John G. Corry, Worship Leader, assisted by the District Superintendents. Sermon was delivered by Bishop Edgar A. Love. His subject was: "The Challenge of the Difficult."

Offering: $464.72

Final Items of Business: Resolutions for Committee on Resolutions was read by J. F. Sawyer. (See resolutions). Resolution adopted.

Motion, by J. E. Brower, that the Commission on World Service and Finance, in consultation with the Chairman of the Conference Board of Education, be authorized to set the salary for a part-time Executive Secretary. Motion passed.

Certificates of Recognition were presented to Churches and Ministers who had paid 75% and above of all Conference Appointments. (See list elsewhere).

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Reading of Appointments

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V

The Business of the Annual Conference

The Minutes of the North Carolina (CJ) Annual Conference Held in Greensboro, North Carolina from June 13, 1962, through June 17, 1962. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Presiding. Date When Organized, February 8, 1837. Number of this Session, 104th.

Part I. Organization and General Business

1. **Who are elected for the quadrennium:**
   Secretary: John G. Corry, 1200 Julian St., Greensboro, N. C.
   Statistician: Glenn A. Brooks, Rt. 9, Box 156, Winston Salem, N. C.
   Treasurer: J. W. Gwyn, 1640 23rd St., E.E., Winston Salem, N. C.
2. **Is the Annual Conference incorporated?** Yes.
3. **Bonding and auditing:**
   a) **What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts?** J. W. Gwyn, Conference Treasurer, $10,000.00; J. E. Brower, Treasurer, Board of Trustees, $1,000.00.
   b) **Have the books of said officers of persons been audited?** Yes.
4. **Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected:**
   a) **Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications?** Yes
   b) **Committee on Conference Relations?** Yes.
   c) **District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications?** Yes.
   d) **Committee of Investigation?** Yes.
   e) **District Boards of Church Location and Building?** Yes.
   f) **Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference?** Yes.
   g) **Commission on World Service and Finance?** Yes.
   h) **Commission on Town and Country Work?** Yes.
   i) **Deaconess Board?** Yes.
   j) **Board of Missions?** Yes.
   k) **Board of Education?** Yes.
   l) **Board of Christian Social Concerns?** Yes.
   m) **Board of Lay Activities?** Yes.
   n) **Board of Hospitals and Homes?** Yes.
   o) **Board of Evangelism?** Yes.
   p) **Board of Pensions?** Yes.
   q) **Commission on Christian Vocations?** Yes.
   r) **Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service?** Yes.
   s) **Commission on Minimum Salaries?** Yes.
   t) **Commission on Promotion and Cultivation?** Yes.
   u) **Television, Radio and Film Commission?** Yes.
   v) **Committee on Publishing Interests?** Yes.
   w) **Optional Commissions and Committees?** Yes.
5. **Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by the Methodist Church?** Yes.
6. **What is the report of the statistician?** See report.
7. **What is the report of the treasurer?** See report.
8. **What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts?** See supplementary report.
9. **What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors?** None.
10. **What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year?** Apportioned to Charges — $4,500.00 Salary; $500.00 Travel; $600.00 Housing Allowance.
11. **What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants?** 15% of pastors' cash salaries.
12. **What are the apportionments to this conference:**
    a) **For the World Service Fund?** $18,513.00.
    b) **For the Episcopal Fund?** 2% of pastors' cash salaries.
    c) **For the General Administration Fund?** $898.75.

d) **For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund?** $485.00.
e) **For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund?** $740.00.
f) **For the maintenance of our institutions of higher learning?** $1.00 per member.

13. **What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year:**
World service? 53.6%. **Conference benevolences?** 25.3%.

12. **What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:** .. ..
a) **What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations are reported and approved?** See reports.
b) **What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference?** See reports.
c) **What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance?** see reports.
d) **What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations?** See reports.
e) **What are the other reports?** See reports.

15. **What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility?** Allen High School, Bennett College, Gammon Theological Seminary.

16. **What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday?** 18 Nov., 1962.

17. **Conference lay leader:**
a) **Name:** Clarence M. Winchester, 1506 S. Benbow Rd., Greensboro, N.C.
b) **What is his report?** See report.
c) **Who are district and associate district lay leaders? Greensboro District:** J. W. Sapp; Associates: D. W. Morehead, Harry Whitsett, Arthur Crump, E. L. Raiford. **Laurinburg District:** Bruce Hargroves; Associates: Luther Fletcher, J. E. Blackwell, S. T. Brooks. **Western District:** Alvin Morrison; Associates: Herbert Gidney, Cecil Swepson, Garfield Cline, Burl Hunter. **Winston District:** R. C. Erwin; Associates: A. W. Harper, Coy Payne.

18. **What local churches have been:**
a) **Organized?** Ashbury, Fayetteville, N. C.
b) **Merged?** None.
c) **Discontinued?** None.
d) **Relocated, and to what address?** St. John's, Leaksville, Center Church Road.
e) **Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and what membership?**
1) **This year?** Not applicable.
2) **Previously?**

Part II. Pertaining to Ministerial Relations

19. **Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration?** Yes.

20. **Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation?** See organization.

21. **Who are the approved supply pastors:**
a) **Student approved supply pastors, and in what schools are they enrolled?** Peter Moore Watt, Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, New Jersey.
b) **Part-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has each made in the course of study?** Fred Benton, John Bowan, Sampson Buie, A. R. Hall, John F. Hill, Clifton Scott, Sr., Judge Whitted.
c) **Full-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has each made in the course of study?** Lawrence Oscar Banner, E. C. Campbell, P. G. Carter, Oscar Davenport, A. H. Douglas, Bert Dula, Mrs. Sopia East, L. B. Eldridge, C. O. Hill, Belvin Jessup, W. N. Johnson, L. H. Jones, Robert M. Martin, Jefferson McCallum, Robert Howard McDowell, John McEchain, D. R. McGirt, Miss Emma R. McLean,

James Monroe McLean, Buford Miller, J. H. Minor, John Monroe, Willie L. Napper, W. Turner Rankins, Calvin Sharpe, Robert E. Sharpe, Loutenant Tisdale, Garland L. Warren, Otto Withers, Walter Davis, I. C. Spinks.

22. **What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year?** Garland L. Warren, J. H. Minor, I. C. Spinks, Robert E. Sharpe, W. N. Johnson, Robert E. Martin, Willie L. Napper, E. C. Campbell, John McEchain, Miss Emma Ruth McLean, John Monroe, D. R. McGirt, Walter Davis, Paul G. Carter, Buford Miller, L. B. Eldridge, L. H. Jones, Otto Withers, W. V. Leazer, C. O. Hill, James Monroe McLean, Bert Dula, Oscar Davenport, R.H. McDowell, A. H. Douglas.

23. **What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized:**
    a) **As local deacons?** Belvin Jessup.
    b) **As local elders?**

24. **Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers:**
    a) **As members on trial: Deacons?** None.
       Elders? None.
    b) **As members in full connection: Deacons?** None.
       Elders? None.

25. **Who are admitted on trial:**
    a) **With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology?** None.
    c) **With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the intro- and credits from approved schools of theology?** None.
    c) **With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the indroductory studies for the ministry and the first year course of study?** None.
    d) **With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors?** None.

26. **Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies:**
    a) **As students in approved schools of theology?** Henry Joyner, 4th year.
    b) **As graduates of approved schools of theology?**
    c) **In the four-year course of study?** Clyde Evans Dungee, 2nd year.
    d) **In the four graduate courses of study?** None.

27. **Who on trial are discontinued?** Jacob Thomas Williams and Esau Alfred Williams.

28. **Who are admitted into full connection?** Charles Edward Tyson.

29. **Who have been elected deacons:**
    a) **Theological students?** None.
    b) **Members on trial in the course of study?** None.
    c) **Approved supply pastors?** Clifton Scott, Sr.
    d) **Other local preachers?** None.
    e) **Missionaries?** None.
    f) **Chaplains?** None.

30. **Who have been ordained deacons?**

31. **Who have been elected elders:**
    a) **Theological graduates?** None.
    b) **Cours of study graduates?** None.
    c) **Approved supply pastors?** Clifton Scott, Sr.
    b) **Course of study graduates?** None.
    e) **Missionaries?** None.
    f) **Chaplains?** None.

32. **Who have been ordained elders?** None.

33. **Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:**
    a) **Admitted: On trial?** None.
       Into full connection? None.

b) **Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons?** None. **Elders?** None.
c) **Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons?** None. **Elders?** None.

34. **Who are readmitted:**
a) **As deacons?** None.
b) **As elders?** None.

35. **What retired members have been made effective?** None.

36. **Who have been received by transfer?** None.

37. **Who have been transferred out?** J. F. Campbell, Lexington, May 18, 1962; Pliny W. Jenkins, Southern California-Arizona, September 1, 1961; John S. Mills, Washington, August 5, 1961.

38. **Who have had their conference membership terminated:**
a) **By voluntary location?** None.
b) **By involuntary location?** None.
c) **By withdrawal?** None.
d) **By judicial procedure (expelled)?** None.

39. **Deceased:**
a) **What ministerial members have died during this year? Effective:** Calvin Leroy Gidney, July 4, 1961. **Date received into full connection in a conference:** 1926.
Inactive: None.
b) **What approved supply pastors have died during the year?** None.
c) **What deaconesses have died during the year?** None.

40. **Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?** Horace C. Woodland, 2 years.

41. **Who are granted sabbatical leave?** James David Ashford.

42. **What ministerial members have been retired:**
a) **This year?** William S. McLeod.
b) **Previously?** B. L. Burge, Frederick Douglas Caldwell, Gilbert Haven Caldwell, Ira Amos Friend, William Elmer Hairston, Walter Lomax, Robert Franklin McCallum, E. M. McLeod, George Washington Patterson, John W. Shuford.

43. **What approved supply pastors have been retired:**
a) **This year?** None.
b) **Previously?** T. D. McCorkle, Frederick Douglas Morehead, Hughley Perry.

44. **Who are appointed to attend school?**

45. **What is the number of:** (a) **General Information:** Pastoral charges? 93; Approved supply pastors? 39; Received on trial? 0; Received into full connection? 0; Transferred in? 0; Transferred out? 3; Received from other evangelical churches? 0; Readmitted? 0; Discontinued? 2; Withdrawn? 0; Expelled? 0; Located? 0; Deceased? 1; Local preachers? 0; Women under appointment? 1; Retired made effective?0; Retired serving as supply pastors? 5; District parsonages: No. None. Value?—; Indebtedness?—.
b) **Number of ministers:** (1) **On trial:**
(a) as pastors? 2; (b) Under special appointment? 0; (c) Appointed to attend school? 0; Total on trial? 2.
(2) **In full connection:** (a) **Effective:**
(i) As pastors and district superintendents? 49; (ii) Under special appointment? 2; (iii) Appointed to attend school? 0; (iv) On sabbatical leave? 1; Total effective? 52.
(b) **Retired?** 11.
(c) **Suprenumerary?** 1.
Total ministerial members: 64.

46. **What other personal notation should be made?** The 1961 Journal should read under section 40; H. C. Woodland in the first year instead of the third year

Part III. Concluding Business

47. **What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?**
48. **Where shall the next conference session be held?** St. Paul Church, Winston Salem, North Carolina.
49. **Is there any other business?** None.
50. **What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session?** See Appointments.
51. **Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year?** (See list of appointments.)

VI

North Carolina Conference Appointments

Central Jurisdiction — The Methodist Church

Parentheses denotes Supply Pastor; *denotes change

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

L. A. Brown, Superintendent

Basses Chapel ..... (Belvin Jessup)*
Brown Summit ..... T. C. Tarpley*
(Samson Buie) Associate
Browning Chapel ..... William T. Brown
Celia Phelps ..... (G. H. Caldwell)
Collins Grove & Holmes Grove ..... (John A. Gray)
Cox Chapel & Shady Grove ..... (G. L. Warren)
Durham ..... Charles E. Tyson*
Empire ..... (Arthur R. Hall)
(F. D. Morehead) Associate
Greensboro: Mount Tabor ..... (R. F. McCallum)
Saint Matthews ..... John G. Corry
Union Memorial ..... Grandison M. Phelps
Warren St., & Mt. Carmel ..... Samuel NeSmith
Kernersville ..... Elwood J. Jones
Laughlin Memorial ..... C. C. Armstrong
Leaksville ..... David S. Harkness
Mt. Zion & Zion Hill ..... (J. Henry Minor)
New Goshen ..... Eugene Black
Newport News & Pleasant Ridge ..... (Robert E. Sharpe)
Norfolk ..... Godfrey L. Tate, Jr.
Oxford Circuit ..... (I. A. Friend)
Raleigh ..... O. W. Burwick
Raleigh Crossroads ..... (F. D. Caldwell)
Ramseur ..... F. F. McCallum*
Randleman ..... (Turner Rankin)
Reidsville ..... Joseph B. Bethea
St. James & Summerfield ..... (W. N. Johnson)
St. Paul & New Bethel ..... (Wilbur Slade)
Saint Peters ..... (Robert M. Martin)
Wesley & Chapel Hill ..... (Willie L. Napper)

Special Assignments

Director of Wills ..... Hugh Crawford
Missionary Secretary ..... C. C. Armstrong
Secretary of Evangelism ..... Eugene Black
Director of Stewardship ..... Ross E. Townes
Director of Publishing Interest ..... John G. Corry
Director of Christian Social Concerns ..... W. T. Brown

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

S. L. Townsend, Superintendent

Charlotte Mission ..... (To be supplied)
Charlotte: Simpson ..... C. E. Strickland
Cool Spring & Philadelphia ..... (To be supplied)
Fairmont & St. Marks ..... (D. R. McGirt)*
Fayetteville: John Wesley ..... W. R. Royster
Asbury ..... (Miss Emma R. McLean)*

Goldsboro	(Eugene C. Campbell)
Hamlet: St. Peters	Oscar M. Graham
Hickory Bend	(J. W. McRae)*
Hoffman & Millers	(John McEachin)
Pembroke & New Zion	(Jefferson McCallum)
Laurinburg & Beaver Dam	George E. Hogue
Lumberton	James W. Ferree
Maxton & Bolton	A. W. Stowe
Piney Grove & Beauty Spot	J. H. McCallum
Red Springs	Miles Murphy, Jr.
Rowland & Salem	J. F. Sawyer
Saint Peter & Johns	Clyde E. Dungee*
Sanford Circuit	(Walter Davis)
Wall Chapel & Mt. Zion	(Lieutenant Tisdale)*
Wilmington	J. H. Shiver

Special Assignments

Director of Wills	Bruce Hargrove
Missionary Secretary	C. E. Strickland
Secretary of Evangelism	J. W. Ferree
Director of Stewardship	S. T. Brooks
Director of Christian Social Concerns	A .W. Stowe
Director of Publishing Interest	Miles Murphy, Jr.

WESTERN DISTRICT

H. W. Phillips, Superintendent

Asheville	Marshall McCallum
Boone & Beaver Creek	(Oscar S. Davenport)
Catawba Circuit	(Clifton Scott)
Forest City & Union Mills	Daniel H. McLean
Gastonia	(Leroy Worth)*
Granite Falls	(To be supplied)
Hickory	R. D. Sharpe
Hinton Chapel	(M. W. Walton)
Kings Mountain & Galilee	(R. H. McDowell)
Lenoir	R. C. Sharpe
Lowesville & Denver	Marcus S. Laughlin
Marion & Old Fort	J. Q. Dula
Mooresboro & St. Paul	(J. Monroe McLean)
Mooresville	(A. H. Douglas)
Mount Holly	(B. L. Burge)
Newton	W. E. Tyler
Philadelphia & Brooks	Theodore A. Powell
Shelby & Bessemer	A. E. Robinson
Stanley & Hunter	(B. J. Dula)
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey
Tuckers Grove & El Bethel	(C. O. Hill)
West Asheville & Franklin	(To be supplied)
Wilkesboro & Harpers	C. G. Bynum

Special Assignments

Director of Wills	Avery E. Robinson
Missionary Secretary	W. E. Tyler
Secretary of Evangelism	Theodore Powell
Director of Stewardship	J. Jolly
Director of Christian Social Concerns	Mrs. Martha H. London
Director of Publishing Interests	Marshall McCallum

WINSTON DISTRICT

J. J. Patterson, Superintendent

Advance & Chestnut ..... (To be supplied)
Asheboro ..... John W. Jones
Elkin & Jonesville ..... Liston J. Sellers, Jr.*
Glenola & Liberty Grove ..... (Otto Withers)
High Point: Brooks Memorial ..... J. T. Jones*
Saint Marks ..... John E. Brower
Lexington ..... Henry Joyner, Jr.
Madison ..... H. A. Smith
Mitchell ..... J. W. Jones
Mount Airy ..... (L. B. Eldridge)
Oak Grove ..... (L. H. Jones)
Penhook ..... (Buford C. Miller)
Pilot Mountain ..... (P. G. Carter)
Thomasville: East & Midway ..... G. A. Brooks
Saint John's ..... W. J. Cameron
Trinity ..... Wyatt P. Cole
Winston Salem: Mount Pleasant ..... William R. Crawford
Saint Andrews & Walnut Cove ..... J. W. Gwyn
Saints Home ..... R. B. McRae
Saint Paul ..... Lemon M. Mayfield

Special Assignments

Director of Wills ..... J. E. Brower
Missionary Secretary ..... Liston Sellers
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Jones
Director of Stewardship ..... L. M. Mayfield
Director of Christian Social Concerns ..... W. R. Crawford
Director of Publishing Interests ..... J. W. Gwyn

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Conference Executive Secretary ..... Samuel NeSmith
Deaconess, Allen High School ..... Winifred M. Wrisley
Director, Wesley Foundation, A&T College ..... W. T. Brown
Professor, Wiley College ..... James E. McCallum
Professor, Bennett College ..... C. C. Armstrong
Missionary ..... Douglas Moore
Sabbatical Leave ..... J. D. Ashford

Special Assignments

Conference Director of Stewardship ..... Marshall McCallum
Conference Missionary Secretary ..... Wyatt P. Cole
Conference Secretary of Evangelism ..... O. W. Burwick
Conference Director of Wills ..... C. M. Winchester
Director of Christian Social Concerns ..... D. S. Harkness
Director of Publishing Interests ..... J. F. Johnson

VII

Conference Rules of Order

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

1. The Conference shall met at 9:00 a.m. and open with devotional exercises, and close at 12:30 p.m.

2. The Memorial Services shall be held the first morning of the Conference immediately following the Communion Service and shall include the calling of the roll of the honored dead.

3. The nominating committee consisting of five persons shall be appointed by the bishop quadrennially.

4. No person shall be a member, concurrently, of more than two standing committees or commissions (except as provided for by the Discipline).

5. The Conference fiscal year shall end 20 days before the first day of the Annual Conference.

6. The pastors' reports shall be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician 15 days before the opening day of the Annual Conference.

7. The reports of all major commissions and committees shall be mimeographed and passed out at the seat of the Conference on or before the day the report is read.

8. The roll of Conference lay members shall be called at the opening day of the Conference.

9. The Treasurer's report shall be mimeographed and passed out at the meeting of the Conference.

10. The minutes of the Annual Conference shall be printed and distributed within 90 days after the adjournment of the Conference.

11. All recommendations and memorials shall be presented to the Conference in duplicate form.

12. All motions from the floor shall be in writing when requested by the secretary of the Conference.

13. The program for the Annual Conference shall be arranged by a committee composed of the Host Pastor, the Host Superintendent, the Conference Lay Leader, the Conference President, Woman's Society of Christian Service, Conference Secretary, and two persons named by the Nominating Committee, in consultation with the Bishop.

14. When a member wishes to speak he must arise and address the chair and shall not proceed until he is properly recognized by the presiding officer.

15. No member shall speak on any question more than once until all who wish to do so have spoken, nor shall a member speak more than ten minutes except by permission of the Conference.

16. Motions made and seconded, reports made and accepted are to be deemed the property of the Conference and cannot be withdrawn without the consent of the Conference.

17. All motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, shall be taken without debate, but the one who offers a formal motion or resolution shall have five minutes to close debates and this right shall not be forfeited by a motion ordering the previous question or to lay on the table.

18. All questions of privilege shall be decided by the president.

19. No member of the Conference shall be recognized who is outside the boundary of the Conference.

20. The following motions may take precedence of the original motion or precedence of each other in the order given here; (a) to adjourn to a given time; (b) to adjourn indefinitely; (c) to take up the order of the day; (d) to lay on the table; (e) to move up the order of the day; (f) to postpone to a given time; (g) to refer to a committee; (h) to amend; (i) to postpone indefinitely.

21. Any person voting with the majority may move a reconsideration, but such motion shall not be debatable.

22. The years and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

23. These rules may be suspended by a two-thirds vote of the Conference.

24. These rules may be amended at any regular session of the Conference at least one day before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON RULES,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

(Made at the Conference in 1956)

Raleigh, N. C.

VIII

Constitution

BOARD OF MANAGERS—BALTIMORE AREA PASTORS' SCHOOL THE METHODIST CHURCH

Herewith is transmitted the Constitution of the Board of Managers Baltimore Area Pastors' School—The Methodist Church, and adopted by the Board of Managers in session at Baltimore, Maryland, Sept. 11, 1957.

C. Anderson Davis, Chairman
Constitution Committee

Bishop Edgar A. Love
Resident Bishop
Henry H. Nicholas, Pres.
Board of Managers

ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

Section 1. **Name**—The name of this Board shall be the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastors' School—The Methodist Church.

Section 2. **Purpose**—The purpose shall be to provide counsel, make plans, elect a dean and other officers, staff members and teachers (nominated by the dean), set up a budget, approve recommendations and reports, set the time and place of the Pastors' School and to transact any other business pertaining to the school.

ARTICLE II. BOARD MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Board shall consist of: The Resident Bishop and three members from each of the Annual Conferences of the Area. Two of the three conference representatives shall be nominated by the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications and elected by the Conference, the third representative shall be the Executive Secretary of Christian Education. They shall be elected at the first session of the quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said quadrennium. They shall take office at the first meeting of the Board, called by the Resident Bishop, after each of the Annual Conferences shall have met.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS AND DUTIES

Section 1. **Officers**—The officers shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, an Assistant Secretary and a Treasurer. Each conference shall be represented in, at least, one office. They shall be elected quadrennially from the membership of the Board at the first annual meeting of the new quadrennium, by a majority of the members of the Board, after being nominated by the Nominating Committee or from the floor.

Section 2. **President**—The President shall preside at meetings of the Board, countersign all checks drawn on the treasury, represent the Board when necessary and perform other duties normally performed by a president.

Section 3. **Vice-President**—The Vice-President shall preside and act in the absence of the President and assist the President when needed.

Section 4. **Secretary**—The Secretary shall record the minutes, send out notices of all meetings and keep the president and members informed of any matters germane to the Board of Pastors' School.

Section 5. **Assistant Secretary**—The Assistant Secretary shall perform the duties of the Secretary in his absence and shall assist the Secretary when necessary.

Section 6. **Treasurer**—The Treasurer shall have charge of all monies of the Board, deposit the same in an account known as "The Baltimore Pastors' School", and shall write and sign all checks. He shall disburse funds only upon written order signed by the Secretary with the exception of bills per-

taining to the expense of the School session. In such case the dean shall sign the order and report the same to the Secretary.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. **Time**—The Board shall meet annually on the first Tuesday in October. The place and hour to be determined by the President in consultation with the Resident Bishop. This date may be altered by the Executive Committee provided it shall be held in the Fall of the year. Special meetings may be called by the President or by a majority of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. **Quorum**—Seven membersh shall constitute a quorum for transacting business not otherwise specified, provided at least one member from three conferences of the Baltimore Area is present.

ARTICLE V. COMMITTEES

Section 1. **Committees**—There shall be the following committees representative of each of the Annual Conferences and consisting of not less than four persons: Executive Committee, Nominating Committee, and Recommendations Committee.

Meetings of committees shall be regulated by the Board of Managers, and time and place of meetings shall be subject to the call of the chairman.

Section 2. **Executive**—The Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected officers and the Resident Bishop. The President and Secretary of the Board shall be the chairman and secretary of this committee. It shall act for the Board between meetings in matters that are necessary to be acted upon before the next Board meeting and report its action to the next Board meeting. It shall constitute the Finance Committee and recommend a budget to the Board after consultation with the dean. It shall have the financial records audited by a certified public accountant.

Section 3. **Nominating**—The Nominating Committee shall nominate the officers of the Board of Managers, the business manager, the dean and other administrative officers provided that others may be nominated from the floor. It shall be composed of one person from each Conference elected by the Board and shall elect its own chairman.

Section 4. **Recommendations**—The Recommendations Committee shall examine all reports, receive recommendations from members of the Board, officers of the school, the Department of Ministerial Education and other sources; counsel with the dean and others; and shall make any recommendations, as a result of the above procedure or otherwise, to the Board of Directors. The vice-president shall be chairman of this committee.

ARTICLE VI. PASTORS' SCHOOL

Section 1. **Sessions**—The time and place of the school sessions shall be set by the Board of Managers.

Section 2. **Courses**—Courses of the school shall be elected by the dean according to the procedure of the rules of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 3. **Dean**—The dean shall be elected at the first meeting of the new quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said quadrennium, or until his successor is elected. He shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the incoming Board of Managers by a majority of its members. He shall be responsible for the administration of the school in keeping with the rules and recommendations of the Board of Managers and the Department of Ministerial Education. He shall submit a written report, by mail, of the school to the Recommendations Committee following the school session; and a written report in person at the next Board meeting; at the same time he shall submit nominations for the faculty of the coming school session.

Section 4. **The Faculty**—The faculty shall be nominated by the dean after consultation with the resident bishop and the director of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 5. **Business Manager**—The business manager shall be elected quadrennially at the first annual meeting of the Board of Managers by a majority of its members. He shall be responsible for the business proceedings of the school in cooperation with the dean.

ARTICLE VII. PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the Board meetings in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution of the Board.

ARTICLE VIII. METHOD OF AMENDING

This Constitution may be amended in the following manner:

A proposed amendment shall be submitted in writing to the secretary, at least sixty days before the annual meeting of the Board of Managers. The secretary shall send the same through mail to all of the members of the Board. The proposed amendment shall be submitted by the secretary to the Board in session and shall require a three-fourths vote of the members present and voting, for adoption.

Any part of this Constitution in conflict with the Discipline of the Methodist Church or the rules of the Department of Ministerial Education shall be amended after the Board of Managers reviews the same.

REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

beginning June 13, 1962 and ending near May 15, 1963

Bishop Love, your Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church wishes to present its report for the coming Conference Year. The Commission has considered sincerely and prayerfully all requests. Particularly where there has been request of increased budgets. We feel that it is in the interest of the Conference that items in our budget, where possible, without hindrance to work, remain the same.

I. The Commission recommends for your action and determination here and now, the following budgets for the Conference year beginning June 13, 1962 and ending near May 15, 1963: $34,707.40.

A. In addition to the $34,707.40 the Commission also recommends the amount of $1.30 (one dollar and thirty cents) per church member for Higher Education and the Wesley Foundation.

B. That a Reserve Fund be established by setting aside 5% of all gross income of the conference. In addition to the 5% of all gross income of the Conference, the Commission also recommends that $1,000 be apportioned to the several charges of the Conference annually, for this fund, until a total amount of $5,000 has been established.

C. For World Service General Administration and annual Conference Benevolence $34,707.40

1. To be administered in the following apportionments:

a. World Service	$18,513.00	or 53.6%
b. General Administration	898.75	or 2.6%
c. Jurisdictional Conference Expense	740.00	or 2.1%
d. Area Pastor's School	800.00	or 2.3%
e. Interdenominational Co-operation	485.00	or 1.4%
f. Area Expense	3,555.00	or 10.3%
g. The Methodist Corporation	925.65	or 2.7%
h. Annual Conference Benevolence to be administered on a percent basis	8,790.00	or 25.3%

2. That the regular Annual Conference Benevolences $8,790.00 be administered as follows:

a. Home Mission Board (for promotional work and field cultivation within the conference)	$6,500.00	or 73.94%
b. Board of Lay Activities	225.00	or 2.56%
c. Secretary and Statistician Expense	250.00	or 2.86%
d. Home Mission Board Expenses	150.00	or 1.70%
e. Commission on Town and Country Work	150.00	or 1.70%
f. Board of Evangelism	200.00	or 2.28%
g. Com. on World Serv. & Finance	100.00	or 1.13%
h. Board of Christian Social Concern	300.00	or 3.42%
i. Home Life Commission	40.00	or .45%
j. Area Leadership School	400.00	or 4.56%
k. Methodist Television Ministry	350.00	or 3.99%
l. Methodist Information and Public Relations Commission	100.00	or 1.13%
m. Commission on Cultivation & Promotion	25.00	or .28%

II. That the Cabinet make the apportionments for the individual charges on the basis of the ratio that other apportionments are made.

A. Treasurer's expenses shall be $1,000 (one thousand dollars).

B. That the Dist. Supts. each receive a salary of $4.500 (four thousand five hundred dollars) per year, travel expense items at $500.00 (five hundred dollars) making a total of $5,600 (fifty six hundred dollars) to be prorated to each charge.

C. That the Episcopal Fund shall be an amount equal to 2% (two percent) of the pastor's cash salary.

D. That the Conference claimants shall be an amount equal to 15% (fifteen percent) of the pastors' cash salary.

E. Special Church Extension—That an amount of fifteen thousand dollars be apportioned to the several charges as special cultivation to be used in new church and parsonage construction and repairs greatly needed on buildings now being used. Special consideration is requested for Norfolk, Va. and Charlotte mission.

F. That we find a prepared Executive Secretary by next June to be appointed at the Annual Conference of June 1963. That this Executive Secretary receive a salary of $4,000 (four thousand dollars) per year, travel expense items at $600 (six hundred dollars), house allowance, if married, $600 (six hundred dollars), if single $300 (thre hundred dollars), office supplies $125 (one hundred twenty-five dollars), part time office secretary $300 three hundred dollars), postage $35 (thirty five dollars), expense for Conference Board $200 (two hundred dollars) and District Staff $200 (two hundred dollars) each, making a total of $6,060.00 (six thousand sixty dollars) for the Board of Education.

G. That the part time Executive Secretary this year shall receive a salary of $900 (nine hundred dollars) per year, travel expense $300 (three hundred dollars) and promotional expense $100 (one hundred dollars) making a total of $1,300 (thirteen hundred dollars) to be taken from the amount raised for an Executive Secretary in last year's apportionment.

H. That the Greensboro and Winston Districts be given 27% of all apportionments and that the Western and Laurinburg Districts be given 23% of all apportionments.

I. That each charge of the Conference observe the special days as set fourth by the General Conference.

J. That the Minister's Wives be requested to continue their efforts in the interest of our Conference Reserve Pension Fund and that a special effort be made each year to report $5,000.00 (five thousand dollars) on this Fund.

K. The Commission with the concurrence of the Local Committee recommends that after all necessary expenses shall have been paid, that the remainder of Sunday's collection and other monies raised during this Conference, be sent to the Reserve Board of Pensions, with the exception of Friday Evening's collection.

J. E. BROWER, Chairman

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Reports

REPORT OF THE GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow ministers, laymen and friends:

This one hundred-fourth session of the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, Central Jurisdiction, marks another milestone in our program of kingdom building. It is befitting that early in this my fifth annual report I should express my gratitude to Almighty God, in whom we live and have our being, for health, strength and guidance, which have been mine throughout the year.

And to you, Bishop Love, my sincere appreciation for your able leadership, your sympathetic and understanding brotherly love and concern, as expressed by you personally and through your office.

To my fellow ministers on the Greensboro District who have made possible this report, I am deeply grateful.

This year brought with it many difficult problems, but they have served as a challenge to stimulate most of the men to give their best to the end that their accomplishments speak more eloquently of the success of the District than any words. Due to the time element, this report will of necessity reflect only some highlights of the conference year.

Shortly after the adjournment of the last Annual Conference the ministers and lay workers of the District and local churches were called to meet at Union Memorial for our second planning meeting. The response was most gratifying. The ground work for team action and the part each was expected to play in the second phase of the Quadrennial Program was emphasized. This initial meeting paved the way for the success of our subsequent District meetings.

With the guidance of our Executive Secretary, J. T. Jones, and Conference Secretary of Evangelism, O. W. Burwick, and District Secretary of Evangelism, Eugene Black, and their co-workers, the laymen of the local churches have been led to see and understand their role as disciples of Christ in a new light.

The Greensboro District consists of twenty-nine charges. With the exception of three, I have visited or held official meetings on all charges each quarter. In each the total program of the Methodist Church has been emphasized. Laymen have been urged to make diligent efforts to give their best in service and finance as an expression of their concern for Christ's ministry to the world.

In our fourth quarterly conferences we have urged that the salaries of our ministers be consistently raised not only as a means of adequate support for the present ministry but also a means of helping in the recruiting and attracting young ministers to our Conference. Too long have the lines of salary advancement been held. It has become noticeable beyond the confines of our Conference and is a handicap in our efforts to recruit others, and sub-standardizes our Conference. I do not believe that either our ministers or laymen are satisfied to allow this to happen. Many of our churches have responded favorably to the request to raise the minister's salary. Some are willing to begin next year. Others are willng to consider the matter prayerfully and to try to work to this end. There are a few who still feel that if God calls a man to preach, money ought not to enter into the picture. This group is gradually fading away.

One of the achievements that we have reason to feel proud of is in the field of evangelism. In our first quarterly conferences we enthusiastically set high membership goals. A major portion of these goals was realized through the Bishop's Crusade. Through this special program The Commission on Membership and Evangelism in the local churches was challenged and made aware of the effectiveness of personal witnessing continually for Christ and His Church.

The response to both General and Conference benevolences has improved over last year. There are considerably more churches in the 100% class this year. My observation of the cheerfulness with which this has been

accomplished is that it has been done in the finest Christian tradition, which opens doors of blessings for the giver as well as the receiver.

The temporal side of the church continues to expand in new buildings, extensive remodeling, the replacement of out-dated furniture with modern new furniture, new carpeting and new decorating.

Leaksville, under the leadership of D. S. Harkness, has erected a beautiful modern church which is the pride of the Greensboro District and of the North Carolina Conference. We were privileged to hold our District Conference at this church.

On highways 65 and 68 near Wentworth stands the newly erected beautiful cement block St. Paul, built under the leadership of Wilbur Slade.

On the Mt. Zion and Zion-Hill Charge Brother Minor and his people have completed a nice cement block church.

Cox's Chapel, under the leadership of G. L. Warren, has been brick-veneered and has the appearance of a completely new church.

Holmes' Grove, under the leadership of John A. Gray ,has purchased four acres of land for their new church site.

Mt. Carmel, under the leadership of Samuel NeSmith, has purchased five or six acres for a new church site.

Wesley Chapel, under the leadership of W. L. Napper, installed pews and pulpit furniture in its sanctuary and completed its educational unit at a cost of approximately seven thousand dollars.

There are others whose work is outstanding and deserve mentioning but time will not permit. I will simply say that the above mentioned highlights are reflective of the dedication and loyalty of the Greensboro District team.

Last but not least: There are two groups that always stand out in our minds when we are preparing our reports, namely, the Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Ministers' Wives. They play a double role in all these achievements. As laymen they are a part of all that takes place in our churches, but in a special way we have learned to relp upon them to make a distinct contribution which always has a telling effect in the success of our District program.

In conclusion, may I say that whatever measure of success attained this year has been due to team work, for which I am grateful to my fellow workers and to Almighty God.

Respectfully Submitted,
L. A. BROWN, Superintendent
June 14, 1962

REPORT OF THE LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Bishop Love, members and friends of the one hundred and fourth session of the North Carolina Annual Conference, Central Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to the Father's plan gave himself for our sins and thereby rescued us from the present evil world order. To him be glory in the Church of Jesus Christ forever and ever.

It is with a deep sense of humility and a great pleasure that I present this report for another year's work done on the Laurinburg District. I am thankful to our heavenly Father for strength to carry on, for guidance and protection through the year. I am grateful to the District Staff, the ministers and the laity of the District for their excellent support. This is their report.

Bishop Love, members of the Conference, the Laurinburg District cannot boast of having a one hundred percent report, but I thank God that in everything we are thirty percent above last year.

Our District is organized to the fullest extent. We have held training sessions this year for each commission and organization.

Our Commission on Membership and Evangelism has tried to seek out the unsaved and the unchurched on the District, and to exercise all diligence that they may be led into a saving knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ, and into the fellowship of the church. We are happy to report for the Bishop's

Crusade one hundred and thirty additions. For the year we have a net gain of one hundred and ninety-seven.

We believe that the Church is the congregation of those who are "sent". They are sent to the world. The Church is the believers in Christ, not just when they gather to worship, but twenty four hours of the day, every day, in every aspect of human experience, dispersed into every place. The missionary program of the Church has been kept before the members by the District Secretary of Missions and the Commission on Missions in the local church.

Our Commission on Education has used every teaching method to get the educational program over. We are trying our utmost to, have trained workers in every Church School. Our Christian Workers' School, with a certified faculty, was largely attended. I feel that much good was done.

Stewardship is a spirit of sharing, a recognition and an acceptance of responsibility. Jesus Christ is Lord of our possessions. Tithing is a goal of Christian Stewardship. Jesus Christ is Lord of our time and talents as well as our possessions. He is Lord of our work. We should not be ashamed to take him to our work with us and to have him see the task we perform. He is Lord of life, but he will be Lord in all lives only as we accept him and serve him. Our District Director of Stewardship is leading the District forward in this program.

Our Commission on Christian Social Concerns, under the leadership of the District Director, has tried to lead men to serve him in public and private morality, through Christian brotherhood, in our industrial life, and world peace.

Through the aid of the Conference Board of Missions and the Board of National Missions, Church Extension Section, we were able to purchase for five thousand dollars, a church on the south side of Fayetteville. The property was appraised at $20,000.00. We have established a new congregation. The District Director of Evangelism and the Conference Secretary of Evangelism led us in a week of evangelistic visitation, and we were able to find more than one hundred prospects. We have a fairly good membership there now.

We were able to move into the new church at Beaver Dam in April. The first Sunday in July the Pastor led the congregation at Millers Chapel, Saint Paul, North Carolina, into a new, modern church building.

The Women's work of the District is moving forward under the leadership of Mrs. Mary B. Carroll. Our goal is to have every woman on the District taking an active part in the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

The Methodist Men are holding their own under the guidance of our District Lay-Leader, Mr. Bruce Hargrove.

The youth of our District are lad by Reverend Miles Murphy. Two rallies have been held this year, and both were very largely attended. We feel that the greatest work on the District is being done among the youth.

We are happy to report that our chain has not been broken by death this year. Most of the ministers and their families have enjoyed good health.

I have been able to hold all of my quarterly conferences and group meetings. I have preached in every church on the District. Mrs. Townsend and I have been blessed with perfect health. Neither of us has had to call a doctor, for which we are grateful.

Our real goal is to make every church on the Laurinburg District a Praying Church, a Stewardship Church, and Advancing Church. A wise man once said, we do not need to be afraid of a statistical goal so long as the number one goal is persons, boys and girls, men and women, dedicated to Christ's Will and Way.

In this period fraught with such perils and possibilities, we believe, as Methodists have from the first, that "the only infallible proof of a true Church of Christ is its ability to seek and to save the lost, to disseminate the pentecostal spirit of life, to spread scriptural holiness, and to transform all peoples and nations through the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Who is Lord."

May God refashion, empower, and use us in this holy task.

Respectfully Submitted,
S. LLOYD TOWNSEND, Superintendent

REPORT OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow Superintendents, Officers, Pastors, Lay-members, Fraternal delegates of the North Carolina Conference, it is with deep gratitude that I stand before you to make this, my fifth Annual Report of the Western District, of the North Carolina Conference. Since I made my last report to this conference, I have experienced many personal difficulties. These difficulties have been experienced by some of you, and will be experienced by all of you, eventually. My presence here today is not due to the strength within me, but it is due to the inconceivable love and mercy of God. I dare not attempt to make this report to you without having given this testimony.

This report constitutes the inspirations, devoted and untiring efforts of our pastors, and members throughout the Western District. To these dear people whom I have served this year, I wish to express my profound gratitude, and sincere appreciation, for the marvelous work they have done to make this report possible. I shall always feel indebted to all of them.

Evangelism

The work of Evangelism has been given a major portion of our time The Bishops' Crusade, which was our major outstanding evangelistic effort this year was observed. The result of this crusade was not as successful as we had hoped, however, we realize that even a limited success in Evangelism is worth our efforts.

The crusaae was not observed on the proposed schedule because of the numerous circuits of our district.

Many of our pastors consider their work as a continuous evangelistic program, and these pastors always report many accessions each year. We are far from being satisfied with the total work of Evangelism of the District.

We still have churches whose reports show no conversions, no accessions, and no obvious passions for lost souls. It is disturbing to me, to observe this situation, when both minister and people are complacent. We live and hope that soon each one of us will hear again the voice of Jesus when he said, "Go ye therefore and preach, and I will be with you always."

Ministerial Support

Our District is located in the beautiful rolling hills of western North Carolina, where there are few industries and a lmited agricultural activity This situation limits the income of our members, but I feel that this situaton does not warrant the small salaries that are paid our ministers. We have only four charges that pay their ministers above three thousand dollars ($3,000). The other charges pay downward to three hundred dollars ($300) All of the charges are able, and should pay more another year. I am hoping that the lay-members of this Annual Conference will go back to their several charges and encourage their members to do a better job on ministerial support.

II. The following are the totals of finances of the District:

Of the twenty-two charges of the District, seven charges have reported 100% of their askings. Six others of the churches have reported over 7'% of their askings. The nine others have made a very poor showing. Every charge except two has paid its District Superintendent's salary in full. There will still have to be something done to encourage a few of the pastors to pay their group insurance. Seven hundred, thirty-three dollars ($733) has been paid on an apportionment of nine hundred, twenty dollars ($920).

The following are the unofficial totals paid on the different apportionments of the Western District:

World Service	$2,483.00	Conference Claimants	4,349.00
Conference Cultivation	1,000.00	Episcopal Fund	741.00
Church Extension	1,049.00		
Advance	420.00	General Administration	167.00

Jurisdictional Administration	134.00
Interdenominational Co-operation	93.00
Bennett College	1,743.00
Gammon Theological Seminary	55.00
Allen High School	63.00
Pastor's School	170.00
Area Leadership School	154.00
Area Offices Expense	476.00
Conference Journals	205.00
Board of Education	595.00
Church School Rally Day	161.00
World Wide Communion	153.00
Student Day Fund	132.00
Wesley Foundation	260.00
Reserve Fund	160.00
Group Insurance	733.00
One Hour	115.00
Race Relations	144.00

The total amount raised for all purposes except Conference Claimants and Episcopal Fund was $13,269 of an apportionment of $21,000.

Including Conference Claimants and Episcopal Fund paid in the amount of $5,089.00 and sum total reported for the Western District (except the amount that will be paid at Conference time on the Minister's Wives Fund) is $18,358. This report could and should be better, but it is an increase over last year.

This report snows an increase of $5,050.00 over the (my) first annual report.

Building and Improvement

In building and improvement we have gone far beyond our expectations. The following is a listing of buildings and improvements. A new parsonage was completed on the Mooresville Circuit at a cost of $10,000.00; at Marion the church was completely renovated at a cost of $9,000.00. On the Stanley Charge there was an exchange made of property. The church was moved from one lot to another. We acquired through this exchange a beautiful and level lot near the residences of our members, worth five times the value of the old property. A new church has also been erected during this year at Elbethel on the Tucker's Grove Charge. Many other churches are in the midst of building funds. The charges are as follows: Catawba Ct., Hickory, Kings Mountain, Lenoir, Lowesville, Mount Holly, Newton, Shelby, Stanly, Tuckers, West Asheville and Brooks Chapel.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service

The women of the District are carrying on in their usual fine manner. There are Societies in most of our churches. In every instance these dedicated women are doing a great work in the spiritual and financial program of the local churches. Mrs. P. Pearson became President of our District Society during this conference year.

District Conference

Our District Conference was held at Conover the first and second of December. Reverend R. D. Sharpe was the host pastor. We enjoyed the wonderful hospitality afforded us by the pastor and people. The amount collected during our Conference was $8,900.00. The Conference closed with a fine program presented by Bennett and Morristown Colleges.

Minister's Wives

The Minister's Wives have not only responded to the conference project for retired ministers, but also they have graciously served as first ladies of our parsonages. They hold places of leadership in the church and in many cases have full time jobs. These dedicated women are really the power of the man behind the pulpit.

Conclusion:

I can not end this report if I did not say to you, Bishop Love, that I have been greatly inspired and encouraged by your wise counsel and clear understanding of the problems that face your assistants as District Superintendents. You have given us support and freedom to go into orbit if our ability would allow us. You also have been patient with us when we failed, and have praised us in our successes. I can never really show by actions nor explain in words the deep feeling of gratitude I have in my heart for the kind consideration that you have given me. May God bless you and cause your administration of the Area to be a great success. Again, to the pastors and lay-men of the Western District may I say to you, that I shall never

forget your kindness and devotion to the task assigned to you. To all of you I dedicate myself anew to the unfinished work of the kingdom.

Through the inspiration of God let us—
Keep Heart
God may be delayed by evil but he suffers no defeat.
Even as a chance rock in an inland brook
May change a river's course, and yet no
Rock nor the baffling mountains of the world can
Keep it from its destiny—
The Sea.
God is not foiled. The drift of the world's
Will is stronger than all wrong.
Earth and her years down Joy's bright way,
Or Sorrow's long road is moving slowly
Toward the purpose of the Skies.

Respectively Submitted,
H. W. PHILLIPS, Superintendent

REPORT OF THE WINSTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members of the North Carolina Annual Conference and Friends:

As I stand before you at this time to make my second annual report as District Superintendent of the Winston District, I am indeed mindful of my indebtedness to Almighty God for His divine guidance and loving care, which He has extended unto me this year, for which blessing I am most grateful.

To you, Bishop Love, many thanks for your wise counsel and sympathetic understanding, without which this report could not be the same. It has been wonderful working with you this year.

The Winston District has been blessed with the good-will, cooperation and untiring efforts of a wonderful group of ministers and laymen; working unceasingly in the promotion of the Kingdom of God, through the program of the church. Mere words cannot express my appreciation to them for so great a service. All has not been merry with us. Our losses have been painful. But, our gains have been very gratifying. From among our ministerial ranks, Brother C. L. Gidney was called from labor to reward early in the conference year, leaving a note of sadness in our District and in the Conference.

Immediately after the close of the Annual Conference, we held our first District meeting at St. Andrews Church in Winston-Salem, N. C., at which meeting our program schedule was approved. The appointments for benevolences were accepted by the pastors and laymen of the charges in the District. On August 12th, our first District roll-call for benevolences was made, to which every charge in the district answered. Our next District meeting, on October 21st, was high-lighted by the presentation of the annual program by the Ministers' Wives. The program, as well as the reports, were very gratifying.

In the area of Evangelism, we have had a great deal of action this year. We had two workshops on Visitation Evangelism, both of which were well attended by both ministers and laymen. We had a reasonable degree of success in the Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade. The pastors' reports to the Statistician will show marked progress in this area. For the most part, there is an active Commission on Membership and Evangelism in every church. The Official Membership record book, complete in every possible detail, is a must in every local church in the District.

Under the leadership of its President, Mrs. Marion W. Pavne, the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Winston District is still setting the example for the rest of the conference, as it leads on from one degree of success to another. Again, this year the records will show the Winston District Women's Society of Christian Service leading the conference in total contributions.

The District Youth program is another special feature in our District. The District Youth Institute was conducted in Saints Home Church, June 19-23. It was largely attended and served not only as a source of information but, of inspiration as well, to all who attended it.

We held our District Conference May 18-19, with St. Mary's Methodist Church, Trinity, N. C., the Rev. W. P. Coble, Pastor. We were royally entertained by the pastor and people. The District Conference was high-lighted by workshops on Evangelism and on Christian Social Concerns. The pastoral reports will show the results of a most profitable statistical session which was held at our District Conference, also. Another very special feature of our District Conference program was a presentation by the District Music Committee, featuring the District Choir in Concert. And upon that happy note, the report of the District Music Committee for the District Choir is as follows:

Report of the Winston District Choir

The District Choir continued in its second year ever striving to put forth an effort to gain knowledge of Church Music as it is related to our total Church program.

All responsible choir leaders met in August to plan for a Church Music Workshop to be held last November. Rev. J. T. Jones, Conference Executive Secretary, Rev. J. H. McCallum, Chairman of the Worship Committee, Rev. J. J. Patterson, Winston District Superintendent and the Winston District Music Committee, D. W. Andrews, Jr., J. Livingston and H. G. Cole, were able leaders in the Workshop. Dr. J. A. Dillard was guest Instructor in Voice and Organ.

All choirs of the District were invited to participate in the Hymn of the Month Program beginning in September, 1961, continuing to August, 1962. These hymns were presented at the planning meeting.

Again, the District Choir thrilled the audience in its second appearance at the District Conference in May, under the direction of D. W. Andrews, Jr.

As the Conference year comes to a close, we wish to keep in focus a few objectives that will ever remain and remind us "Why We Have Choirs"

1. To create a conduct of life worthy of those who stand before others in the public worship of God.
2. To help create an atmosphere of worship.
3. To lead the congregation in singing and praises of God correctly.
4. To carry forward the Christian message in music.
5. To show an appreciation of the great Christian music of the centuries.

H. G. Cole, Chairman
D. W. Andrews, Jr., Director
Joe Livingston

Work in the Charges:

Time will not permit me to make mention of every charge individually. For the most part, all of the charges on the Winston District have had a wonderful year. However, there are a few high-lights I should like to mention at this time. They are:

Brooks Memorial, Rev. W. S. McLeod, and the people of this church have enjoyed another very successful year. Several thousand dollars have been raised and spent for renovation and redecoration of the church including the installation of a beautiful symbolic window and carpeting. Rev. McLeod closed his active ministry with a year filled with many gratifying experiences, including the burning of the mortgage and dedication of the Church. Because of declining health, Brother McLeod is retiring at this session of the North Carolina Annual Conference.

Rev. Paul G. Carter and the members of Lovell Chapel Church, Pilot Mt., N. C., have had a dream year. Even though it is not unusual, it is still amazing how this pastor and people put together the mere fragments of a dream and turned it into a reality in such a short time. Twelve months ago, a new church was under discussion. Last Sunday, Brother Carter and his people officially opened a most beautiful, new Lovell Chapel Church.

This has been another great year for our St. Paul Church, Winston-Salem, N. C. Under the daring leadership of the pastor, the Rev. L. M. Mayfield, this congregation has paid for all of its beautiful furniture, which cost more than $12,000.00. This has been done in a twelve month period. All benevolence causes have been taken care of and 65 members have been added to the church.

The people of Saints Home Church closed this conference year with much rejoicing. After 13 years of struggle under heavy indebtedness, this congregation. led by Rev. W. R. Royster the first six months and Rev. R. B. McRae the last six months of the conference year, paid its mortgage loan in full and burned the mortgage.

The Rev. H. A. Smith and the people of St. Stephen Church in Madison, N. C. opened their new church this year. This is one of the conference's most modern structures. It is just as beautiful as it is modern.

Not only has St. Mark in High Point, under the leadership of Rev. J. E. Brower, made improvements in its building, but, for the first time in many years, paid all claims in full.

Respectfully submitted,
J. J. PATTERSON, Superintendent
Winston District

REPORT OF THE TELEVISION, RADIO AND FILM COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, Ministers and Delegates of the North Carolina Conference, Central Jurisdiction:

This Commission has continued to make progress during the past year. It brings the best programs over more than three hundred (300) stations, having an audience of more than a million listeners daily. Some of the best half-hour dramas of the Christian Gospel, interpreting the teaching of our Christ and bringing us face to face with our Church, family and society responsibility, make up our programs.

Our latest film is "Breakthrough No. 2". It takes into account two well documented findings: that children watch television for entertainment and the excitement it offers, expecting to learn little or nothing in the process; and that about the fifth grade level there is a discernable shift toward desire for programs which deal with the real world in which the child lives — a world of people, who think, question, and grow into personhood. This film provides for and fills these demands. It is surely an accomplishment of the first magnitude.

A series has been produced which deals with the fundamental experiences of the junior-age child that the adult viewer can learn something about the child as he sees life through younger eyes.

Our Television, Radio and Film Commission is seeking an extra giving for this film "Breakthrough" from every Annual Conference. The present need is $125,000.00.

There is a present need for a TRAFCO Director on each District, and one member on the Conference Board of Education. This is requested for the good of sending films to them and they in turn will send them to the minister who needs them. There may be many other needs of the local churches that they may serve.

Recommendations

That each District Superintendent appoint a director for his District, and send name and address to the Conference TRAFCO.

To appoint one person in each church as a local chairman of Television, Radio and Film Commission.

I am Yours for a Greater Use of These
Series in the Coming Conference Year.
G. E. HOGUE, Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
From June 9, 1961 through June 17, 1962

Brought Forward	$153.10
Rent Collected	298.30
For Sign	50.00
Total	$501.40

Disbursements

Bond for Treasurer	$ 5.00	
Wake County Taxes	118.00	
City of Raleigh	256.71	
Commission for collections	19.40	
Trips to Raleigh	10.40	
Total Spent		$409.51
Balance on hand June 17, 1962		$ 91.89

Trustee of the North Carolina Conference
J. E. BROWER, Treasurer

REPORT OF CONFERENCE SECRETARY OF EVANGELISM
"Jesus Christ Is Lord"

Bishop Love, Members of the Conference and Friends:

May I begin this report on a note of gratitude? I am grateful to the General Board of Evangelism for its keen and penetrating insight into the needs of our local churches and their concern in meeting these needs by preparing and circulating evangelistic and devotional materials through the Conference, and to District Secretaries of Evangelism. They prove by so doing that they believe evangelism is the first business of the church.

Secondly, I am grateful to our resident Bishop, Edgar A. Love, who as you know is Vice President of the General Board, which indicates his consciousness, his evangelistic fervor, his creative mind, and his deep devotion to the cause of evangelism. And to Dr. W. D. Lester, a member of the General Board and acting Chairman of the Central Jurisdictional Board.

Thirdly, I am grateful to our District Superintendents for their leadership in the cause of evangelism. These men surely put forth every effort in implementating the program of evangelism that was adopted at our last session of the Annual Conference. Therefore, to the consecrated Ministers and Laymen of our Conference, I am deeply grateful to our Lord Jesus Christ to whom we owe all that has been accomplished.

Specifics

1. "The Bishop's Evangelistic Crusade," March 11-18, was again a success as every district and local church participated in some way in the crusade. As an indication of this, may I share with you one report? The Laurinburg District: S. Lloyd Townsend, Superintendent.

2. The District Secretary of the Greensboro District, and myself, attended the Council on Evangelism which met June 30,-July 5, 1961, Y.M.C.A. Building Blue Ridge, North Carolina. This was truly a great meeting with all of the Departmental Committees heads present, and leaders from across our great church. Great preaching, Morning, Noon, and Evening. There were fourteen groups of the twelve meetings before breakfast every morning and after the evening worship.

3. I nominated, after consultation with the District Superintendent, twelve laymen, for membership on the "National Lay Committee on Evangelism." They met on the campus of Purdue University last November, but because our Conference had no funds only one attended at his own expense, Dr. Ross E. Townes, a member of our Asbury church, and an Instructor at N. C. College, Durham. Laymen have tremendous potential for the work of evangelism.

Recommendations

1. That this Conference vote to observe the celebrating of Aldersgate Year. The year 1963 is the 225th anniversary of John Wesley's Aldersgate experience. The general purpose of the Aldersgate Anniversary Year is "to call Methodists, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, to seek a new life in Christ and the church, and to witness out of a heart-warming experience that Jesus Christ is Lord.

2. That July-August: Groups of "The Twelve" be organized in every local church. "The Twelve" is a small group which meets regularly to learn the deeper meaning of Christian discipleship and to extend the invitation of Christian discipleship to others.

Participation in groups of "The Twelve" will inspire your church membership to become dynamic disciples who possess radiant faith and who witness to others concerning the faith.

3. That in November a Conference wide meeting be called by the Bishop, in order that Laymen and Ministers may share in the preparation for the "Celebrating of Aldersgate Year Anniversary". At this time the launching of the program for the Year will take place.

4. That the Commission on World Service and Finance, increase the budget for the Board of Evangelism to the amount of $200.00.

(b) and that the Districts be given a small apportionment each for the work of the Board of Evangelism, namely Greensboro $45.00, Laurinburg $30.00, Western $30.00, and the Winston District $45.00.

(c) and that the Districts apportionment, when raised, be sent to the Conference Treasurer, and

(d) that the amount of $30.00 be given to each of the District Secretaries, to be used by the District Secretary in his respective District in working with the District Committee on Evangelism, in training, and promoting the local churches' Commissions on Membership and Evangelism, in work-shops, etc., under the guidance of the D. S., and in cooperation with the Conference Secretary of Evangelism. (This amount is sorely needed if we are planning to do anything in the Year of Evangelism. This will give the Annual Conference Board of Evangelism a budget of $350.00).

5. That each local church "Committee on Rolls and Records" will audit regularly the membership records and make monthly reports to the Commission and to the Official Board. This means the committee will:

(a) Keep complete, accurate, up-to-date records to membership.

(b) Keep a separate roll of preparatory membership (see Discipline, No. 132).

It is of utmost importance to know who, where, and how many members.

Conclusion

Paul defines our Mission for us: "I feel myself under a sort of universal obligation, I owe something to all men (Romans 1:14 J. B. Phillips Trans). This is the characteristic of the New Testament. Always its people keep bursting in on us, their eyes shining, their hearts on fire, crying, "We have found it!" "The thing for which the whole world has been seeking, and it works!" Do you go down before your temptations? So do we, but not now, with this wonderful Savior to bring us through. Do you find life too difficult for you? So did we, but not now, with the amplitudes of grace there are for us in Christ Jesus. Or maybe it is pinched and tame? With Christ, and in Christ, it grows satisfying and successful and exciting beyond measure, becomes another and a richer thing.

It was because the early Christian felt that, said that, proved that, that they drew others to the faith. Is it because we are so dull and unexcited over it that others look at us, think there is nothing in it and turn away? "They must sing better songs 'ere I learn belief in their Savior; his disciples must look like the saved," said Nietzsch — and surely that is reasonable.

The only way in which we shall win our community and world for Christ is by convincing those outside that we have something infinitely valuable that they lack. Then of themselves they will come running for a

share in it. And that we do possess such a unique thing is the truth set down with vividness in the New Testament.

The General Board of Evangelism, along with your Bishop, District Superintendents, and Secretaries of Evangelism, desire that every local church be an evangelistic unit. Our goal is for every church to be:

A PRAYING CHURCH
AN OBEDIENT CHURCH
A SPIRIT-FILLED CHURCH
A WITNESSING CHURCH
A SHARING CHURCH
A JOYOUS CHURCH
A SUFFERING CHURCH

Respectfully submitted,
OSCAR W. BURWICK, Secretary

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT
BOARD OF PENSIONS
Annuity Rate: $27.00

Available for 1962-1963 Distribution	
Amount available after 1961-1962 distribution	$ 47.63
Received from charges on apportionment	17,615.00
Received from General Board—Apportionment	800.00
Received from General Board—Chartered Fund	80.00
Received from Interest on Permanent Fund	1,624.73
Received from Methodist Publishing House	1,383.85
Transferred from Stabilization Fund	5,200.00
Total	$26,751.26
Conference Responsibilities	
For Service in this Conference—775 years @ $27.00	$20,913.00
For Services in other Conferences	207.00
Due Clearinghouse	3,124.00
Due Claimant retired this year—29 years @ $27.00	783.00
Due Conference Claimants	1,224.78
Total	$17,982.89
Prospective Balance	$ 499.26
Stabilization Fund	23,182.89
Transferred to Distribution Account—June 15, 1962	5,200.00
Balance	$17,982.89
Endowment Fund—May 31, 1962	$34,119.25
Distribution Reserve—May 31, 1962	17,495.00
Initial Reserve Fund—May 31, 1962	72,802.74
Ministers Wives	6,122.50
Total	$78,925.24

OSCAR W. BURWICK, Chairman
C. E. STRICKLAND, Secretary

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE LAY LEADER

Bishop Love, Members of the North Carolina Conference and Friends:

On this anniversary occasion it is a pleasure to report to you the progress of last year and the plans for the coming year.

The past year has been an eventful one and noble success has been our gain. We have increased our Methodist Men's Clubs and Charters and throughout the conference on all of the districts, there is a renewed interest in the work of the Laymen's Organization.

During the conference year, I, as Conference Lay Leader, have spoken and appeared throughout the conference making speeches and serving in whatever capacity I was called upon to render service.

The District Lay Leaders and myself, along with several others, created a car pool and journeyed to Purdue University in July, 1961 to attend the National Methodist Men's Conference. Each person enrolled in a work-shop of their special interest in order to bring back to the local churches a better approach to the problems in their varied fields of interest. The knowledge and inspiration gained at this gathering will have far reaching benefits throughout the North Carolina Conference and Methodism.

Methodist Men's Organization

Our goal is two-fold in this area. First, to see that every Church has a Methodist Men's organization, and secondly to see that each organization carries out and performs the purpose for which they are established. Statistically speaking, there are about 5,000 men in our Churches in North Carolina. What a vast storehouse of energy we are, what a potential we have for developing a Christian dynamo. Our endeavor for the coming year is to harness this latent power and enliven the spirit and hopes of the great number of men inactive in our cause.

Christian Stewardship

All of our hopes, aims, aspirations are but naught if we fail to practice and witness in this capacity. When men grow proud and their hearts are full of love — for themselves — they have less and less room in their hearts for God. We must not fail to use for God the material things entrusted to us. Because the material things are used by God to test our worthiness. Jesus Christ is head of all, and we are stewards of all we possess, our time, talent and money. The Laymen of the North Carolina Conference must redidicate ourselves to this concept.

Retreat and Workshop

It will be the endeavor of each district to hold several workshops on the district and sub-district level this year. Our work is one of education also — and down to the grass roots must this message be taught and practiced.

District Parsonage

The North Carolina Conference is one of the very few conferences in Methodist that does not have a single District Parsonage. Continuous effort is being put forth to eliminate this condition and the Board of Lay Activities with your help is committed to putting special effort in this behalf for the coming year.

The program of the Methodist Men offers a great opportunity for men to grow spiritually, both as an individual and as a group. It affords a field in which men can work. How can we expect to harvest in any field if we fail to plant and cultivate?

Through the Methodist Men we have a proving ground. To prove to ourselves — that Jesus Christ is Lord.

CLARENCE M. WINCHESTER
Conference Lay Leader

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

A year has gone by since we met in Louisville with over 200 persons from all sections of the United States to plan a Quadrennial Program on Race for The Methodist Church. Many important things have happened in many Regions, but, your Conference Board would like to share with you some of the activities we have participated in during the year.

1. Our Regional Consultative Committee had two meetings this year, the first was held in Statesville, and the second in High Point. Rev. A. Dudley Ward, Vice President of the Division of Human Relations and Economic Affairs, was with us in the first meetings, and Bishop Nolan B. Harmon was present in the second meeting. The Bishop's contribution to the

meeting was that we should let the Executive Committees of the three (3) Boards in North Carolina, comprise the greater Regional Committee.

2. **The Western North Carolina Conference School on Christian Social Concerns:** This meeting was held in the beautiful Wesley Memorial Church in High Point. The purpose of the meeting was: "to provide advanced training for selected leaders in order to develop new techniques in handling social problems; and to provide background information that will stimulate new understanding of social concerns."

3. **The Cincinnati Exploratory Meeting, March 26-28:** We were well represented at this meeting "to help study and analyze all pertinent data related to the issue of segregation in The Methodist Church, with particular reference to the Central Jurisdiction and its dissolution as a racial unit in The Methodist Church."

4. **A standing invitation to other Board Meetings:** We give thanks to Almighty God for being able to communicate across Jurisdictional lines, with Boards of Social Concerns in North Carolina and Virginia. You would be interested to know that some of our Local Commissions have been meeting together in two of these conferences.

5. **Statewide Convocation on Christian Social Concerns:** In one of the Board Meetings of the North Carolina Conference (S.E.J.), your Conference Chairman suggested that the three (3) Boards of Christian Social Concerns should have a Convention together. On April 26-27, 1963, we will have this convention, at West Market Street Church here in Greensboro. A budget has been set for $1,800, and our share of this is only $300.00.

6. **The District Directors:** A meeting of the District Directors and the Executive Committees of the three (3) Boards of Social Concerns will be held at Lake Junaluska, September 10-11, 1962.

7. **The Churchmen's Study Tour of Europe and Russia, July 20 to August 30, 1962:** This study tour is designed to help churchmen acquire information and insights which will enable them to be more effective in their work for peace and world order. Half of the time will be spent in Czechoslovakia, Poland, and Russia, for the reason that the cold war between the East and West is the major threat to the human race. The other half will be spent in the significant Centers of London, Geneva, Helsinki, Stockholm, and The Hogue. The tour will be led by Dr. Carl Soule, Executive Secretary for the Division of Peace and World Order.

The North Carolina and Western North Carolina Conferences are helping to sponsor your Conference's Chairman, by contributing $500.00.

Recommendations

WE RECOMMEND THAT:

That Commitment Sunday will be observed, December 2, and an offering be taken for our Committee on Temperance and General Welfare.

Respectfully Submitted,
GLENN A. BROOKS, Chairman

REPORT OF OBJECTIVES FROM THE COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE AND GENERAL WELFARE

Bishop Love, members of the conference, delegates and friends:

The program of Temperance and General Welfare for the past conference year consisted of local church studies of community needs in the fall; observance of Commitment Day and Christmas for Christ with a family emphasis in the winter; and special studies at convocations and workshops in the spring.

The objectives for the coming year are board in scope and will require additional time and work on the part of pastors and local church commissions on Christian Social Concerns.

Due to insufficient funds for mailing and traveling purposes, the objectives for the coming year are submitted in forms of **Recommendations** in this report. Consequently, each pastor will receive the same in the next issue of the conference journal.

The objective-recommendations are as follows:

1. Purchase copies of audio-visual such as "To Your Health and How Long the Night." Secure free materials and distribute to church members.
2. Arrange for speakers, panels, and discussions on the issues of Social Welfare, Juvenile Delinquency, Mental Health, Medical Care, Traffic Safety, Population and Planned Parenthood, Narcotics, and Gambling.
3. Cooperate with the State or Area Methodist Student Movement.
4. Provide youth activities weeks studying alcohol problems and moral concerns.
5. Support a program of alcohol education in the public schools through the state temperance organization and with state education officials.
6. Use materials on the items listed in number 2 above in preparatory membership classes.
7. Study the welfare needs of the community and find homes for welfare children.
8. Observe Commitment Day in every local church.
9. Make every effort to surround alcoholics and their families with an atmosphere of love and concern.

By doing these things, we will make the program of temperance and general welfare an active concern in our churches and in our conference.

Respectfully submitted,
AVERY E. ROBINSON, Chairman
The Committee on Temperance and General Welfare

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PEACE AND WORLD ORDER OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL CONCERNS

Bishop Love, Members and Friends of the Conference:

The Committee on Peace and World Order of the Conference Board of Christian Social Concerns is reporting on the following issues: Communist China and Formosa, the German question, disarmament, and ban on nuclear testing.

Communist China and Formosa

The settlement of the question of the representation of mainland China is a long-standing problem which should be settled in order to facilitate proper international communication, negotiation, and the future control of world disarmament.

The Chinese nation of 700 million people ought to be represented in the United Nations by a government in actual control of the Chinese mainland.

The government called Nationalist China, now located on Formosa, is no longer in political control of the Chinese mainland.

The present government of mainland China, established in 1949 and called the People's Republic of China, is the defacto government of China.

The admission of the People's Republic of China to the United Nations, as is the case of any nation-state, does not involve approval of that nation's institutions or policies but rather involves simply recognition of its existence as an established government.

In our judgement, therefore, the People's Republic of China should be admitted to the United Nations as the representative of mainland China.

We further believe that the government called Nationalist China should continue as a member of the United Nations and represent the island of Formosa, on which that government is located, until such time as the future status and control of Formosa can be settled by international negotiations through the United Nations.

The Reunification of Germany

The German nation is now split into two zones, East Germany and West Germany. This concept of a split nation is alien and contrary to modern political theory and is not conducive to normal contemporary relations.

It is, therefore, our judgment that a commission be set up by the United Nations to consider the social and economic problems attending to the reunification of Germany and propose measures to alleviate these.

This commission could also hold a free election among the German people to determine whether such unification should take place.

Disarmament

We support President Kennedy's statement that "it is . . . our intention to challenge the Soviet Union, not to arms race, but to a peace race . . . until general and complete disarmament has been achieved."

We urge implementation of the position of the 1960 General Conference on disarmament. The General Conference stated: "We call upon the United States and all other governments to declare complete, universal and enforceable disarmament to be their goal and to move in this direction."

Ban on Nuclear Testing

In the explosion of hydrogen bombs man has released upon this earth a degenerative power. The explosion of these bombs has set in motion the disintegration of the very structure of life, and no one knows what the final result will be.

Dr. Albert Schweitzer, world famous theologian, philosopher, musician, and medical scientist, has had the courage to tell the world that these explosions should be stopped at all costs. In his "Declaration of Conscience," Dr. Schweitzer says: "None of the radioactivity of the air, created by the explosion of atom bombs, is so unimportant that it may not, in the long run, become a danger to us through increasing the amount of radioactivity stored in our bodies.

"What we absorb of radioactivity is not spread evenly in all cellular tissue. It is deposited in certain parts of our body, particularly in the bone tissue and also in the spleen and in the liver. From these sources the organs which are especially sensitive to it are exposed to radiation. What the radiation lacks in strength is compensated for by time. It works day and night without interruption.

"How does radiation affect the cells of an organ?

"Through being ionized, that is to say, electrically charged. This change means that the chemical processes which make it possible for the cells to do their job in our body no longer function as they should. They are no longer able to perform the tasks which are of vital importance to us. We must also bear in mind that a great number of the cells of an organ may degenerate or die as a result of radiation.

"Not our own health only is threatened by internal radiation, but also that of our descendants. The fact is that the cells of the reproductive organs are particularly vulnerable to radiation which in this case attacks the nucleus to such an extent that it can be seen in the miscroscope.

"To the profound damage of these cells corresponds a profound damage to our descendants.

"It consists in stillbirths and in the births of babies with mental or physical defects.

"We are forced to regard every increase in the existing danger through further creation of radioactive elements by atom bomb explosions as a catastrophe for the human race, a catastrophe that must be prevented.

"There can be no question of doing anything else, if only for the reason that we cannot take the responsibility for the consequences it might have for our descendants.

"They are threatened by the greatest and most terrible danger."

In the light of what atomic explosions are doing to our atmosphere and to life upon this planet, we strongly urge our country to take the lead in working to get a test ban on nuclear explosion now!

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM T. BROWN, Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

June 26, 1961

The Conference Board of Missions met at Bennett College. R. D. Sharpe. Presiding; Prayer, G. E. Hogue. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Rev. S. L. Townsend, Supt. of Laurinburg District discussed the matters of money of the Laurinburg District. After some discussion it was voted that the matter be taken up later. Rev. L. A. Brown, Supt. Greensboro District asked for $200.00 to be given to Newport News then presented a letter from the General Board stating why the money had been held. He asked that the Board give $200.00 to Durham. This would be one half of the money that has ben given to Cox Chapel at Brown Summit. The amount was $400.00 divided between Durham and Newport News. Motion by Rev. G. M. Phelps that the recommendation of the Supt. be approved. Motion passed.

Motion by Rev. G. M. Phelps that the Executive Committee draft a letter with Bro. S. L. Townsend to the Board of Missions for the aid needed on the Laurinburg District and Bro. Townsend offered a motion that we approve the recommendation of the cabinet. After some discussion subject to motion and work out some suitable recommendation for all the commission work of the North Carolina Conference. Motion passed.

Closing prayer, J. W. Ferree.

July 28, 1961 — Call Meeting

The Conference Board of Missions met at John Wesley Church, Fayetteville, N. C. Rev. R. D. Sharpe, Presiding; Prayer, Rev. J. H. McCallum.

Reason for calling the meeting was given by Rev. J. W. Ferree, V. Chairman, to meet the emergency needs of John Wesley Church. Rev. R. B. McRae was asked to give a report on the work and needs of the John Wesley Church. He stated that he had needed $337.12 per month to carry on the indebtedness of the Church, he also asked that we give so much per month on the small bills, then the General Board could take it over.

The present indebtedness of the Church, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, $35,769.87, Western House $1,380.00, Southern Desk $3,600.00, Building Loan $900.00, total $41,649.87.

Rev. S. J. Townsend, Supt. of the Laurinburg District asked that we recommend to the North Carolina Conference the amount of money needed for the church in Fayetteville. Motion by Bro. Townsend that we ask the Commission on World Service and Finance to put into their budget travel expense for the Board of Missions. Motion passed.

Motion by Rev. O. W. Burwick that the District Supt. meet with the Executive Committee of the Board of Missions.

Motion by Bro. G. M. Phelps that we give Madison $300.00 and Mt. Olive $100.00. Motion passed. Motion by Rev. S. L. Townsend to give Marion $500.00, Mt. Ary $500.00. Motion passed. Bro. R. B. McRae then gave words of appreciation of the fine support that the Board has given John Wesley on its indebtedness the past year Motion by Rev. O. W. Burwick that a committee be elected, a Survey and Research Committee. Motion passed.

Then, a motion by Rev. R. B. McRae that we elect five persons from this Board. Committee on Survey and Research consisted of R. B. McRae, G. M. Phelps, L. A. Brown, O. W. Burwick and G. E. Hogue, was elected for this committee.

Adjournment, closing prayer, Bro. S. L. Townsend.

The Conference Board of Missions of the North Carolina Conference met August 16, 1961 in Charlotte, North Carolina, at Simpson Memorial Methodist Church and voted, authorizing their conference treasurer, Rev. J. W. Gwyn to borrow $5,000.00 from the promotion work on the Laurinburg District. This is in keeping with the request of Bishop Love.

October 13, 1961

The Board of Missions of the North Carolina Conference met in the Trustee Room of Bennett College on the above date with the chairman, Rev. R. D. Sharpe, presiding.

The meeting opened with prayer by Rev. Ferree. Minutes of the previous Board meting were read and approved as read. Rev. Burwick

made a motion that the loan of $2,000.00 and the donation of $2,500.00 for the new church at Fayetteville be approved by the Board. This motion was seconded by Rev. Ferree. The name of the church is Cape Fair. The pastor is Rev. Johnny McRae.

Dr. Graham of Philadelphia, representing the Board of Missions was presented. He brought greetings from the Board and explained the new application blanks. Churches in N.C.P.S. form do not apply every year, but send progress report in every year. Churches applying for loans are listed on a priority basis. The amount alloted to our Conference for Mission aid is $5,585.00.

Rev. Phelps made a motion that the District Superintendent have the power to recommend to this Board, a screened committee to make recommendation for any change in Mission aid. This motion was seconded by Rev Ferree. Rev. Burwick offered a substitute motion that the wording recorded in the Discipline be used. Instead of a screened committee. This was carried. For clarification, Rev. Royster read the duties of the committee on Home Mission Aid. The program is being written up now for 1962 and 1963.

The Committee

Rev. G. M. Phelps ..... Greensboro District
Rev. James Campbell ..... Western iDstrict
Rev. E. C. Strickland ..... Laurinburg District
Rev. H. A. Smith ..... Winston District
Rev. R. D. Sharpe ..... At Large
Rev. W. P. Cole ..... At Large

Rev. Cole recommended that reports of the District Superintendents be given in alphabetical order.

To make proper distribution of money to the Districts, the District Superintendents were asked to retire and get together and work it out in a brotherly way and then make recommendation to this Board.

The Report

Rev. Patterson recommended $200.00 from St. John, Thomasville and $100.00 from Hoover Chapel, Thomasville, a total of $450.00. released by the Winston District to be used by the Laurinburg District.

Assignments for the work shop were as follows:

Rev. Burwick ..... Miscellaneous
Rev. Strickland ..... Our Mission Today
Rev. Royster ..... Commission on Missions

We adjourned for dinner at 12:15. Upon reassembling, it was found that several members of the Board could not stay for the workshop because of previous commitments. The chairman felt that the workshop should be held at a more opportune time. We were dismissed by Rev. Strickland.

REV. R. D. SHARPE, Chairman
REV. W. P. COLE, Secretary
MRS. L. B. HAIZLIP, Assistant Secretary

The Conference Board of Missions met at Bennett College on December 5, 1961. The meting was opened with prayer by Rev. H. A. Smith.

Officers from Oxford were presented and asked for help. S. L. Shaffener made the report. C. G. Bynum supported the report and so did Rev. L. A. Brown, Superintendent. Rev. Harkness was presented and he stated that he needed to put his church on priorities so that the General Board would be carried on until the old property could be sold. There was a motion by Rev. H. W. Phillips that we put the church on the priorities. The motion was approved. There was a motion that the Executive Committee of the Board go and evaluate the property. There was a motion that the District Board of Missions make the evaluation. There was a motion by S. L. Townsend. There was a motion by J. W. Ferre that we give the Oxford charge $500.00. This motion was carried. There was a motion by J. J. Patterson that we give Pilot Mountain $500.00. The motion was carried. There was a motion by Rev. H. W. Phillips that no more recommendations be considered until later dates. The motion was carried. There was another motion by Rev. H. A. Smith that we pay the money that we borrowed.

The meeting was closed by a prayer by Rev. J. J. Patterson.

REV. W. P. COLE, Secretary

The North Carolina Conference Board of Missions met in the Trustee Room of Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., April 17, 1962. The president, Rev. R. D. Sharpe, presided.

Supt. S. L. Townsend made a motion that the Board of Missions be organized as outlined in the Discipline. This motion was seconded by Supt. J. J. Patterson and carried. Rev. G. M. Phelps made a motion that in order to save time a Nominating Committee by appointment to study and name the committees which make up the Board of Missions. This motion was seconded by Rev. R. B. McRae and carried.

The Nominating Committee consisted of the following persons: Rev W. R. Royster, Laurinburg District, Chairman, Rev. W. T. Brown, Greensboro District, Rev. R. B. McRae, Winston District, Rev. J. F. Campbell, Western District.

The Board of Missions accepted the Quadrennial program of the General Board of Missions of the Methodist Church "Our Mission Today" as outlined by Bishop Richard C. Raines, Tracy Jones, Editor. We are to make a special study of the following subjects:

1. The Faith that compels us.
2. The Factors that confronts us.
3. The Frontiers that call us.

During 1962, plans are to be made for presentation and discussion at the Annual Conference for the Conference Team to attend the Regional Study Conference in St. Louis, Feb. 4-7, 1963.

The Conference Team in the Annual Conference is composed of the following persons: Chairman, Conference Board of Missions; President, Conference, W.S.C.S.; Conference Missionary Secretary; Secretary of Missionary Education, Conference W.S.C.S.; Chairman, Conference Commission on Christian Vocations; Secretary of Missionary Personnel Conference W.S.C.S.; 1 District Superintendent; 2 Ministers; 1 Lay Woman; 1 Lay Man.

The National Board of Missions stated that each local Conference of the Methodist Church should pay for the travel of its Board of Mission members to and from the various Mission Team Conferences. Bishop Love suggested that the Board ask the Conference Board, World Service and Finance for $600.00 for travel. A motion was made by Rev. J. J. Patterson, District Superintendent of Winston District that the Board ask for $800.00 for travel to and from various conferences and was seconded by J. W. Ferree and unanimously carried.

REV. R. D. SHARPE, Chairman
REV. W. P. COLE, Secretary
MRS. L. B. HAIZLIP, Assistant Secretary

MAINTENANCE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1962

Grensboro District

Brown Summit	F. F. McCallum	$ 335.00
Kernersville	E. J. Jones	200.00
Mt. Tabor	R. F. McCallum	400.00
North West Greensboro	F. D. Caldwell	400.00
Norfolk	G. L. Tate, Jr.	900.00
Newport News	R. E. Sharpe	400.00
		$2,635.00

Laurinburg District

Hoffman	John McEachin	$ 400.00
Walls Chapel	Leroy Worth	300.00
Grace Mission	Miss Emma McLean	600.00
		$1,300.00

Western District

Franklin	J. T. Williams	$ 150.00
Gastonia	J. F. Campbell	400.00
Mooresville	A. H. Douglas	200.00
Newton	W. E. Tyler	600.00
Kings Mountain	R. H. McDowell	300.00
Philadelphia	Theodore Powell	300.00
West Asheville	J. T. Williams	300.00
		$2,250.00

Winston District

Elkin and Jonesville	J. D. Ashford	$ 600.00
Hoovers Chapel	G. A. Brooks	500.00
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	150.00
Penn Hook and Boone Mill	Buford Miller	150.00
Rural Hall and Pilot Mt.	P. G. Carter	600.00
Thomasville—St. John	W. J. Cameron	400.00
Advance	I. A. Friend	600.00
St. Homes	R. B. McPae	600.00
		$3,600.00
	Grand Total	$9,785.00

G. M. PHELPS, Treasurer

CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT

"While the program of Christian Education is not the whole life of the church, Christian education must be vitally concerned with all that the church does. The program of Christian Education must serve the needs of all persons and all ages within the church's responsibility."*

It is the goal of this Board that the churches in the North Carolina Conference become acutely aware of the vital role that Christian Education plays in the total program of the local church. It is with this in mind that the Board submits its report.

Last year the Conference voted to enter into Christian Education on a full-time basis effective for the year 1962-63, and each year thereafter. Subsequently, the Conference adopted a budget of $6,060.00 to underwrite this program. The Conference Treasurer's report as of 22 May 1962 indicated that only two-thousand and six dollars ($2,006.00) had been raised. It is apparent as of this date that we shall not have enough money to launch into this full-time program this year. The only recourse left open to us this year is that we proceed with our Christian education program on a part-time basis.

In that the money raised this year was for a full-time Executive Secretary, we feel that the Conference should vote to use not more than $1800.00 of the money we raised this year for a part-time Executive Secretary. The Board recommends the same, in that the only finances available for the work of the Christian Education is from this source.

Last year also, the Commission on World Service and Finance, inadvertently left off the Conference budget any recommendation for operational expenses for the Board for 1962-63. The Board, therefore, has no operational expenses for next year. The Board recommends that two hundred dollars ($200.00) of the money raised this year be used for operational expenses of the Board.

We urge the Bishop and the District Superintendents to exert every effort to impress upon the pastors of the Conference the importance of Christian Education in the Conference and to make strenuous effort to raise the apportionment for the Conference Board of Education during the next Conference year.

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Program Recommendations

We still maintain that in order to accomplish the aim of Christian Education, a trained leadership is indispensable. No program or movement arises above its leader. If the North Carolina Conference is to survive, not to mention grow, it is imperative that we provide leadership training on the Conference, District, Sub-district and Local Church levels. We, therefore, recommend the following:

1. That at least one person from each local church attend the Baltimore Area Leadership School at Bennett College, June 25-30.
2. That each district hold a District Leadership School; that no district hold a District Youth Assembly unless a District Leadership School is held.
3. That leadership training week-ends be provided on each District.
4. That each District be properly organized.
5. That more effective use be made of the Executive Secretary in local church situations.
6. That Church School Rally Day be observed in the Conference on September 30th.
7. That the District Superintendents invite the Executive Secretary to their annual planning conferences.

The Executive Secretary's report will show what has been done in Christian Education this year, and project plans for next year.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH B. BETHEA, Chairman
JOHN G. CORRY, Secretary
J. T. JONES, Executive Secretary

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Mr. Chairman, and members of the Board of Education:

The report of the Executive Secretary is made with mixed emotions. Something has been done this year for which I am grateful; but so much was not done that should have been done, I have a feeling of dissatisfaction and failure. Some cause for optimism appears above the dissatisfaction and feeling of failure when I see the great potentialities for Christian education in our conference. The people in the local churches recognize the need for training in leadership, the need for a more effective and efficiently administered program and they are asking for help. This is a healthy sign and cause for optimism and encouragement. It says to me if the Board of Education can acquire the wherewithal to meet the needs in the several churches with a dymanic and effective program in Christian training, Christian education in our conference will have earned its wings.

This report is divided into two parts, what has been accomplished this year, and secondly, some needs and objectives for the coming year.

Work on the Districts

Considering the conditions under which our Christian education program operates I feel that it is both safe and honest to report that the most significant work this year has been done on the district level, with the Laurinburg District leading the parade. The Christian Worker's School on the district involved one hundred and thirty persons in a leadership enterprise. In November a district Coaching Conference for chairmen and members of the Commission on Education was held on the Laurinburg District. A continuation and expansion of the work now being done in this district will inevitably lead to a better trained and more efficient corps of leader in the churches of this district. Incidentally, eighty-five persons were in attendance at this coaching conference.

The Greensboro District held a coaching conference for age-group workers in April of this year. This was a significant start. Some sixty-one leaders were enrolled in this conference. Greater things are expected on the Grensboro District next year.

The Winston District, under the leadership of Mrs. Helen G. Cole and Mr. D. W. Andrews has done very effective work in the field of music edu-

cation. Two choir clinics have been conducted on the district which were well planned and executed. The fall clinic was not confined to members of the Winston District. Persons having responsibility for music in the churches on the other three districts were invited. The Western and Laurinburg districts had representatives present. More than one hundred persons attended the clinics. Our plans call for expansion of this phase of the work next year.

The Local Church

I have been unable to touch the work in the local churches in any significant manner. It is my sincere hope that this condition will change in the near future. I have had invitations to St. Paul Church in Reidsville and St. Andrews in Winston-Salem. Twenty-five people were involved in a weekend conference on the work of the Commission on Education. This number included the members of the Commission from Wesley's Chapel Church along with those from St. Paul. The Commission on Education from St. Matthews Church was used as a model at the Greensboro District coaching conferences in April, thus demonstrating the calibre of work being done there

Miss Myra A. Roseman, the Conference Director of Children's Work, attended the Regional Workshop for Children's Workers in Nashville in Marsh. This experience will greatly aid our children's program for the coming year.

Needs

One of the pressing needs of the Christian education program in our conference is adequate financial support. Without it a program for the conference is well nigh impossible. We must continue our efforts in this direction. Sufficient finance along with the active support of the pastors will give the North Carolina Conference a strong Christian education program.

In the work areas there is a need for heavy concentration in age-group work, General Church School Work, efficient planning and administration of the total program at the local church level. There is also much need for improved methods and techniques in church school evangelism, fellowship and recreation, there are areas of Christian Family Life, and the role of music in Christian education and Christian worship. Perhaps all this will not be accomplished next year, but the challenge is before us. Let us begin.

Respectfully submitted
J. T. JONES, Executive Secretary

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE WESLEY FOUNDATION
at
THE AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE
Greensboro, North Carolina

Bishop Love, Members and Friends of the Conference:

It is with a deep sense of pleasure that I present my annual report as Director of the Wesley Foundation at The Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina.

I thank Our Heavenly Father for giving me strength and guidance during the yea

I thank all of those who made possible my work at The Agricultural and Technical College this year.

Study Groups

We offered four study groups this year. They were: "Sex, Love and Marriage," "Religion and Science," "An Intorduction to Christian Theology," and "Religion and Literature."

The following books were used in connection with these study groups: For "Sex, Love and Marriage," we used Evelyn M. Duvall's **Fact's of Life and Love for Teenagers**, Maxine Davis's **Sex and the Adolescent**, Lee E. Travis and Dorothy W. Baruch's **Personal Problems of Everyday Life** and Morris Fishbein and Ernest W. Burgess' **Successful Marriage**.

For "Religion and Science" we used Holmes Hartshorne's **The Promise of Science and the Power of Faith,** C. A. Coulson's **Science and Christian Belief,** Roger Pilkington's **Revelation Through Science,** and Harlow Shapley's **Science Ponders Religion.**

For "An Introduction to Christian Theology" we used Jack Finegan's **Beginnings in Theology and** Karl Barth's **Dogmatics in Outline.**

For "Religion and Literature" we used Graham Greene's **The Power and the Glory,** Nathaniel Hawthorne's **The Scarlet Letter,** and Augustus H. Strong's **The Great Poets and Their Theology.**

Plans for Next Year's Study Groups

Next school year we are planning nine study groups. The Director and thirteen faculty members will serve as leaders of these groups as indicated:

A Bible Study Group—Mr. Clarence E. Dean, Chairman, Department of Agricultural Education and Dr. Wadaran Kennedy, Chairman, Department of Animal Husbandry, will serve as leaders.

A Christian Theology Study Group—William T. Brown, Director of the the Wesley Foundation, and Dr. Joeph B. Jowers, Associate Professor of Sociology, will serve as leaders.

A Religion, Psychology and Psychotherapy Study Group—Dr. Joseph B. Jowers and Dr .Arthur Jackson, Director, Guidance Center, will serve as leaders.

A Religion and Higher Education Study Group—Dr. Glenn F. Rankin, Dean of Students, and Miss Geneva Holmes, Adviser to Foreign Students and Assistant Professor of Social Science, will serve as leaders.

A Sex, Morals and Marriage Study Group—William T. Brown will serve as leader.

A Religion and History Study Group—Dr. Warmoth T. Gibbs, President Emeritus and Professor of History, will direct.

A Religion and Literature Study Group—Mr. Warmoth T. Gibbs, Jr., and Miss Dorothy M. Eller, Associate Professors of English, will serve as directors.

A Religion, Politics and Foreign Policy Study Group—Dr. Virgil C Stroud, Professor of History and Political Science, will serve as leader.

A Religion and Science Study Group—Dr. Howard F. Robinson, Chairman, Department of Agricultural Economics, Dr. George C. Royal. Dean of the Graduate School and Professor of Biology, Dr. Gladys Royal, Professor of Chemistry, and William T. Brown, will serve as leaders.

State-Wide Meetings This Year

The Director and one student attended the Methodist Student Movement Planning Retreat held at Camp Chestnut Ridge on September 23 and 24.

On October 27, 28, and 29, the State Methodist Student Movement sponsored a Model United Nations Assembly at Fairmont Methodist Church in Raleigh, North Carolina. The Director, two faculty members, and six students attended this assembly. We represented India and Sierra Leone

On January 26, 27, and 28, the State Conference was held at High Point College and Wesley Memorial Methodist Church in High Point, North Carolina. The Director and four students attended this conference.

The Director and three students attended the State Methodist Student Movement Training Retreat held at Camp Chestnut Ridge on April 13, 14, and 15.

Religious Emphasis Week at The Agricultural and Technical College

The general theme for Religious Emphasis Week was: "What Can I Believe?" The Wesley Foundation cooperated with the Canterbury Club (Episcopal Student Group) in sponsoring two discussion groups during the week. On Monday evening, January 22, we discussed the topic, "Can I embrace Modern Science and Christianity at the Same Time?" On Wednesday

evening, January 24, we discussed the topic, "Can I Believe that Man's Ultimate Destiny is in the Hands of God?"

Speakers Brought to the Campus by the Wesley Foundation this Year

On Wednesday evening, March 7, we brought to the campus Dr. Darrell Randall, Associate Professor in the School of International Service at the American University, Washington, District of Columbia. He represented the General Board of Social Concerns and spoke on the topic, "The Race for Peace." He made a keen analysis of the present international crisis and pointed out the role of Christianity in creating world peace.

On Friday, April 6, and Wednesday, April 11, we brought Miss Barbara Leonard to the campus. Miss Leonard spoke on her work as a missionary to the Philippines and of opportunities for missionary service. In addition to speaking to a public meeting, she spoke to a total of 416 students in three classes. She made a profound impression.

Some of My Extra Campus Activities

On Wednesday, November 14, I served as one of the participants on a panel at Greensboro College. Other participants on the panel were: Dr. Walter Hudgins, Chairman of the Department of Religion and Philosophy, High Point College; Mr. Hughes Cox, Professor of Philosophy, High Point College; Mr. Benjamin Wilson, Professor of English, Greensboro College; and the Reverend Charles Shannon, Pastor of Brace Methodist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina. The topic for discussion was: "Does Agnosticism Meet the Needs of College Students Better Than Christianity?" The discussion was part of the Religious Emphasis Week Program.

On Friday, January 26, I served as one of the leaders on a panel at the Methodist Student State Conference held in High Point, North Carolina Other leaders on the panel were: Dr. J. Lem Stokes, President of Pfeiffer College, Misenheimer, North Carolina; the Reverend William C. Smith, Associate Secretary, Department of Student Work of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina; the Reverend James H. Nates, State Director of the Methodist Student Movement of South Carolina; and the Reverend Troy J. Barrett, Pastor of Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, Warrenton, North Carolina. The topic for discussion was: "The Church's Ministry to the Campus."

On Sunday, February 11, I spoke at the Wesley Foundation, Wake Forest College. I spoke on the topic, "The Race Problem in a Revolutionary World."

On Saturday, April 14, I was one of the participants on a panel at the North Carolina Methodist Student Movement Training Retreat held at Camp Chestnut Ridge. Other participants were: the Reverend Robert Younts, Director of the Wesley Foundation at Wake Forest College and the Reverend Jack Carroll, Methodist Chaplain, Duke University. The topic for discussion was: "The Church as the Body of Christ."

On Thursday, May 17, I addressed a luncheon meeting of the Greensboro Directors of Religious Education at Woman's College, University of North Carolina. I spoke on the topic, "Study Groups for College Students."

On Friday, May 18, I addressed a Freshman English class at The Agricultural and Technical College on "The Religious Philosophy of Emanuel Swedenborg."

The Community of Lay Scholars

In 1958, the Methodist Chaplains at Wake Forest College, Duke University, and the University of North Carolina organized The Community of Lay Scholars. They "set up a two year curriculum aimed at preparing future teachers, housewives, lawyers, doctors, chemists, and nurses for their vocation as ministers of the laity (the whole people of God)." It was their intention that these laymen "should know the full range of Christian thought and experience and be able to witness to it in understandable terms out of personal conviction and commitment."

In January of this year, I was invited to become a member of The Community of Lay Scholars. I joined with the understanding that I would

organize a branch of The Community at The Agricultural and Technical College next school year.

Each year, The Community of Lay Scholars brings an outstanding theologian to the campus of the University of North Carolina to deliver the Wesley Lectures. On May 4 and 5, we presented Dr. Marqus Barth, Professor of New Testament at the University of Chicago and son of the world famous Swiss Theologian, Karl Barth, as Wesley Lecturer. May I say a word about his closing lecture? This lecture dealt with the place of the Holy Spirit in the interpretation of the Scripture. This was the greatest message that I have ever heard on work of the Holy Spirit.

This has, indeed, been a great year.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM T. BROWN

REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Bishop Love, Fathers, Brothers, Sisters, Friends:

This is my 10th annual report to the Conferences of the Baltimore Area. It is not a report in the sense that it attempts to detail my activities over the past twelve months. Such would consume too much time and space, and it would not be especially contributory to constructive recommendations for the future. Briefly, I will say that I have been privileged to serve all our Annual Conferences—the Delaware, Washington, and North Carolina. I have attended Annual Conference Sessions, district meetings of various kinds, workshops, convocations, institutes, and have preached in many pulpits. On many of these occasions, I have substituted for Bishop Love; on others, I have responded to personal invitations. But these things, as important as they are, do not constitute my major responsibility, which is to help the bishop carry the heavy administrative load which is his, in office routine and in executing the program of the General Church. These have been happy and challenging years, and, with all members of the Baltimore Area family, I anticipate the sorrow which will be ours on the bishop's retirement two years hence. No one could work for a more understanding, tolerant and companionable person.

This report will deal essentially with one vital responsibility of our office, that of caring for our pastors' group insurance plan. As I have stated before, it is a great responsibility, requiring much of our time, and for which we receive no compensation or commssion or any material reward. We recommended the plan to the Conference because we know of its great need. We have had some 15 deaths among the insured members of our Conference in the last two years and nine months since the plan become effective on September 1, 1959. Every one of these claims has been paid. The money was a veritable God-send to the widows of the deceased brethren. It was practically all some of them had. There is desperate need for this type of insurance for us. Many of us could not possibly get similar insurance so cheaply, if indeed at all. The thing that distresses us is the fact that many of our men still do not pay their insurance premiums. In many cases of the deaths among us, the insurance was not paid in full, if at all either year. Happily, we can report that in every case, however, the widow did reimburse the Conference treasurer, who advances the premium each month for the entire Conference.

I am making this intimate appeal to my fellow workers: Brothers, please support this plan. None of us like to anticipate death; we all want to live as long as possible. But we must face facts: Life is uncertain, and we owe it to those whom we love to leave them as much protection as possible for the time when they will need it most, probably.

Our insurance happens to be with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. This is a good plan, but there are others as good, doubtless some

better. Which plan is not important to us, except the one most practicable. Until we can find a better plan, let us support the one that we have. Our Conference treasurer reports that this has been our best year in receipts from the charges on the group insurance. But the response is far from 100% and we simply cannot expect to burden our treasury much longer carrying a load that we should carry ourselves. Let us review the facts:

The cost of the insurance is only $43.00 a year. The benefits are $2,000.00 payable to the beneficiary at death; $4,000.00 in accidental death. All full-time employees, lay as well as ministerial, of our churches are likewise eligible for the insurance. The church is asked to pay the premiums for the pastor and/or lay employees. At age 70, the accidental death and dismemberment clause automatically ceases, but full natural death benefits are effective until age 72 (or retirement, if a member retires before age 72). The benefits are then reduced one-half, or to $1,000.00. It should be remembered that the Conference voted two years ago to pay the premiums for all retired men. (Note: Men already retired at Conference session of 1959 were not insurable).

We have kept the policies on file in our Area Office, on advice of the company, if the policy holders so consent. However, we have brought all policies to this session, and those desiring them may have them, or they may examine them and return them to us, if they desire us to keep them on file in our office. Let me repeat our plea: BROTHERS, PLEASE SEE THAT YOUR GROUP INSURANCE IS PAID, for it is being paid for you otherwise. If you do not desire this protection, kindly inform us.

Retreat

This next word is to our pastors' wives regarding the 1962 Ministers Wives Retreat, which will be held at Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., July 3-5. Please remember, that all wives of ministers, or widows of ministers, or women pastors are eligible to attend. The Retreat is always a rich spiritual and fellowship experience for the women attending; it will be especially so this year, for the North Carolina Conference women want to be our hostess and plan many fine things for us in the way of entertainment. They are not obligated or asked to do this; they are asking to do it. Buses will leave from Baltimore and Washington. These details must be completed soon.

Workshop

I would like to call attention of pastors to our workshop on Church Music which will be held at Camphor Church, Philadelphia, August 14-16, concurrently with the Delaware-Washington Conferences Conference on Missions. This will be a great opportunity for your organists and choir directors and singers to get help and directions which they may need to improve the music of your churches. The registration will be the same as that for the Conference on Missions delegates, $6.00, and the board and lodging about $5.00 a day. You will be receiving announcements from us soon.

I wish to thank Bishop Love for the confidence he imposes in me in entrusting to me responsibilities of major proportions: to the district superintendents, pastors and laymen of all our Conferences for their cooperation and help and, above all, to give thanks to Almighty God, who has preserved my health and who has safely guided my feet through these ten years of service in my present work.

May the peace of God be with you all, now and evermore. Amen.

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL LYMAN RIDOUT
Area Administrative Secretary

MINISTERS' WIVES' REPORT

Greensboro District

Mrs. J. W. Shuford	$ .00	Mrs. W. T. Brown	50.00
Dr. C. C. Armstrong	.00	Mrs. C. G. Bynum	55.00
Mrs. I. C. Spinks	5.00	Rev. Samuel NeSmith	58.00
Mrs. A. E. Pace	10.00	Mrs. F. D. Caldwell	60.00
Mrs. E. J. Jones	10.00	Mrs. G. L. Warren	60.00
Mrs. G. L. Tate	10.00	Mrs. Arthur Hall	71.00
*Mrs. R. W. Winchester	10.00	Mrs. T. C. Tarpley	75.00
Mrs. F. F. McCallum	15.00	Mrs. W. L. Napper	75.00
Mrs. D. S. Harkness	15.00	Mrs. R. F. McCallum	95.00
Mrs. Esther Hall	18.50	Mrs. G. M. Phelps	100.00
Mrs. W. N. Johnson	25.00	Mrs. Liston Sellers	100.00
Mrs. S. A. Peeler	25.00	Mrs. G. Haven Caldwell	100.00
Mrs. R. M. Martin	25.00	Mrs. O. W. Burwick	100.00
Mrs. W. E. Hairston	25.00	Mrs. J. B. Bethea	100.00
Mrs. J. H. Minor	30.00	Mrs. L. A. Brown	100.00
Mrs. Eugene Black	30.00	Mrs. John A. Gray	122.00
Mrs. F. D. Morehead	34.00	Mrs. John G. Corry	200.00
Mrs. J. T. Jones	50.00		
		Total	$1,847.50

Laurinburg District

Mrs. J. W. McRae	$ 2.00	Mrs. J. W. Ferree	65.00
Mrs. Leroy Worth	5.00	Mrs. W. R. Royster	75.00
Rev. Esau Williams	6 00	Mrs. Gertrude Gleaves	75.00
Mrs. T. H. Wooten	10.00	Mrs. C. E. Dungee	77.00
Mrs. A. L. Ashe	10.00	Mrs. J. H. McCallum	90.00
Mrs. Alto Webb	25.00	Mrs. S. L. Townsend	90.00
Mrs. W. M. Gannaway	25.00	Rev. Miles Murphy	92.00
Mrs. D. R. McGirt	25.00	Mrs. G. E. Hogue	100.00
Rev. John McEachin	35.00	Mrs. C. E. Strickland	100.50
Rev. J. F. Sawyer	40.00	Mrs. O. M. Graham	107.00
Mrs. Jefferson McCallum	41.50	Mrs. A. W. Stowe	111.00
Mrs. J. L. Alford	48.00		
Rev. Walter Davis	50.00	Total	$1,305.00

Western District

Mrs. Jacob T. Williams	$ 10.00	Mrs. R. C. Sharpe	100.00
Mrs. Burt J. Dula	30.00	Mrs. M. S. Laughlin	$ 100.00
Mrs. G. W. Patterson	35.00	Mrs. R. D. Sharpe	100.00
Mrs. C. O. Hill	45.00	Rev. A. H. Douglas	100.00
Mrs. D. H. McLean	50.00	Mrs. Clifton Scott	100.00
Mrs. B. L. Burge	50.00	Mrs. Avery E. Robinson	100.00
Mrs. Daisy Johnson	51.00	Mrs. H. W. Phillips	100.00
Mrs. C. W. Bailey	75.00	Mrs. William E. Tyler	100.00
Mrs. Charles Tyson	75.00	Mrs. Marshall McCallum	105.00
Mrs. J. Q. Dula	100.00		
		Total	$1,426.00

Winston District

Mrs. C. L. Gidney	$ 10.00	Mrs. L. M. Mayfield	100.00
Mrs. L. B. Eldridge	15.00	Mrs. [illegible] .G. Carter	$ 100.00
Mrs. Otto Withers	22.00	Mrs. R. B. McRae	100.00
Rev. J. D. Ashford	40.00	Mrs. W. S. McLeod	100.00
Mrs. Henry Joyner	50.00	Mrs. J. W. Jones	100.00
Mrs. Buford Miller	50.00	Rev. I. R. Friend	100.00
Mrs. L. H. Jones	50.00	Mrs. W. P. Cole	100.00
Mrs. H. A. Smith	57.00	Mrs. J. J. Patterson	100.00
Mrs. W. J. Cameron	80.00	Mrs. J. E. Brower	150.00
Mrs. W. R. Crawford	100.00	Mrs. G. A. Brooks	170.00
Mrs. J. W. Gwyn	100.00		
		Total	$1,684.00

*In Memoriam, by son, C. H. Winchester

REPORT ON TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, and Members of the 104th Annual Conference, Central Jurisdiction, Greetings:

The Commission on Town and Country has had a small measure of success. This year some of the Rural Charges have worked on such projects as the "Lord's Acre" and the "Lord's Hour." This type of program has worked well on many charges.

We still urge for another year the Five Point Program to be selected from the Twelve Point Program. They are the following:

1. To assist Methodist couples to find places on farms and other occupations in the rural charges.

2. To provide religious services for isolated groups, families and new un-churched communities.

3. To strengthen the Program of Christian Education in the Local Church.

4. To urge the adoption of an adequate salary plan in our Annual Conference.

5. To help create in our ministry a deeper sense of mission and evangelism.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That on each District the Superintendent appoint a chairman on Town and Country Work and also one in each church.

2. That a Convocation on Town and Country Work be held in a central location of our Conference.

3. That the Conference provide seventy five dollars ($75.00) to support the convocation.

Respectfully submitted,

G. E. HOGUE, Chairman

REPORT OF SPECIAL EXAMINATION
North Carolina Annual Conference—Winston-Salem, N. C.
July 31, 1961

November 9, 1961

Rev. J. W. Gwyn, Sr., Treasurer,
North Carolina Annual Conference
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

We have examined the statement of recorded cash receipts and cash disbursements of the North Carolina Annual Conference for the period July 1, 1959, through July 31, 1961, in the manner and to the extent outlined below.

Cash on deposit at July 31, 1961, was reconciled with the balance reported by the bank. We were unable to trace individual recorded receipts to the bank deposits. We inspected paid bank checks representing recorded disbursements for the year. No vouchers, invoices, or other evidence supporting disbursements were submitted for our inspection. We did not request independent confirmation of recorded receipts from the various contributing churches and individuals.

As the scope of our examination did not include independent confirmation of cash receipts and as vouchers, invoices or other evidence supporting disbursements were not available, we are unable to express an opinion upon the statement of recorded cash receipts and cash disbursements.

STATEMENT OF RECORDED CASH RECEIPTS AND CASH DISBURSEMENTS NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

For the period July 1, 1959, through July 31, 1961

Cash balance July 1, 1959			$ 7,341.59
Cash receipts:			
Deposits per bank statement		$169,293.81	
Less returned checks per bank statement		7,739.47	161,554.34
		TOTAL	$168,895.93

Cash disbursements:

Executive secretary salary:		
Rev. D. E. Moore	$1,800.00	
Rev. J. T. Jones	1,950.00	$ 3,750.00
Treasurer salaary, Rev. J. W. Gwyn, Sr.		1,166.70
Assistant treasurer and secretarial assistance		335.35
Board of lay activities expense		200.00
Supplies, stamps, etc.		179.42
Rev. H. W. Phillips, Western District		961.00
Rev. W. T. Brown, Greensboro District		274.00
Rev. L. A. Brown, Winston-Salem District		548.50
Rev. R. C. Sharpe, Laurinburg District		132.10
Mrs. G. M. Phelps, Children's Service Fund and Methodist Youth Fund		92.13
Conference for Youth Assembly, etc.		3,223.11
Wesley Foundation:		
North Carolina College	$ 239.00	
A&T College	585.00	
Inter-Conference Commission on College & University	1,000.00	1,824.00
Travel expense, Board of Education		42.75
Delegate travel expense		976.65
John Wesley Methodist Church Building Fund		4,000.00
Bennett College, Capital Fund, contributions, etc.		13,978.70
Baltimore area office expense		6,885.66
Baltimore area Pastors' School		1,809.00
Baltimore area, communion offering		352.00
Board of Education		2,840.69
Gammon Theological Seminary		739.00
Allen High School		835.00
Council on World Service & Finance		31,538.00
Board of Pensions, Conference claimants and pension reserve		52,272.21
Advances:		
St. Peter's Methodist Church	$38.00	
St. James Methodist Church	50.00	
St. Paul's Methodist Church	387.00	
Camp Springs Methodist Church	60.00	
Rev. Robinson, Western District	11.00	
Rev. H. W. Phillips Western District	1,475.86	
Union Memorial Methodist Church	150.00	
Wesley Chapel Methodist Church	300.00	
W. E. Tyler, Greensboro District	140.00	

Samuel NeSmith, Western District	50.00	
Rev. F. F. McCallum Greensboro District	70.00	
Mrs. E. A. Love, Greensboro District	200.00	
Mt. Zion Methodist Church	50.00	
Hinton Chapel Methodist Church	34 83	
Berry Temple Methodist Church	51.00	
Winston District, Youth Assembly	60.00	
Piney Grove Methodist Church	100.00	
St. Stephen's Methodist Church	121.20	
Red Bank Methodist Church	100.00	
Rev. L. A. Brown, Winston District	55.00	
Rev. M. S. Laughlin, Winston District	75.00	
Music Workshop	9.00	
Rev. J. T. Jones, Winston District	5.00	
Rev. J. J. Patterson, Winston District	104.75	
Rev. H. A. Smith, Winston District	50.00	
Oak Grove Methodist Church	75.21	
Rev. J. A. Brooks, District Conference	5.00	
Rev. J. W. Gwyn, District Conference	6.00	
Rev. D. W. Andrews, District Conference	15.00	
Mrs. G. G. Harrelson, District Conference	8.00	
Rev. Eugene Black, Greensboro District	40.00	
St. Andrews Methodist Church	75.00	
Mrs. Helen Cole, Winston District	80.00	
Greensboro District	50.00	$4,101.85
Cultivation work—all levels		16,634.40
Insurance bond		50.00
Group insurance		7,635.44
Telephone and telegraph		45.06
Conference journals, stationery, etc.		2,214.64
Rev. J. J. Patterson—Winston District and parsonage		454.00
Rev. G. M. Phelps—Home Mission Board		85.00
Wells Springs Methodist Church—Christian Workers School		105.00
Rev. O. W. Burwick, Board Evangelism		344.00
St. Andrew's Service Choir-choir seminar		55.00
Music workshop		30.00
Loan to Laurinburg District		600.00
Rev. S. L. Townsend—interest on loan		18.00

Repayment of personal loans:

Rev. L. A. Brown	$103.00	
Rev. G. M. Phelps	103.00	
Rev. S. T. Brooks	103.00	
Rev. W. L. Nappes	103.00	
Mr. J. W. Sapp	103.00	
Mr. C. M. Winchester	103.00	618.00
Professional expense		125.00
Division of National Missions		500.00
Bishop Edgar A. Love—Lucknow Relief		13.00
Rev. G. A. Brooks—Social Concern		61.57
Rev. S. L. Townsend— District parsonage expense		225.00
Rev. S. L. Townsend—District Missions		70.00

Public relations and Methodist information	25.00	
Statistician cost	100.00	
Janitorial service	22.25	
Rev. G. A. Brooks—District institution expense	295.00	
Area Leadership School	184.50	
Miscellaneous expense	63.40	
Bank charges for collection of items	21.12	
TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS		$163,653.20
Cash balance July 31, 1961		$ 5,242.73

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT BOUNDARIES
June 14, 1962

The Committee to study possible changes in District Boundaries met on the above date and made the following recommendations:

Due to the fact that Central Jurisdiction Conference boundaries are under proposed changes as recommended by the Jurisdictional Committee of Five (5), we recommended that no District Boundary in the North Carolina Conference be changed at this time.

J. W. JONES, Chairman
JAMES W. FERREE, Secretary

BOARD OF HOSPITALS AND HOMES

Your Board of Hospitals and Homes is primarily concerned in making a study of the best method in providing needed assistance to the constituents of our Conference. Our problem has many facets and is not easy to resolve.

We recommend that the Golden Cross Enrollment Society became active in each Local Church in compliance with Section 2, par. 1559 in the Discipline.

ALVIN L. MORRISON, Chairman

ECHOES AND CHALLENGES
From The
THIRD QUADRENNIAL METHODIST CONVOCATION ON URBAN LIFE IN AMERICA
St. Louis, Mo., February 20-22, 1962

Reported by John G. Corry, Delegate to the Convention

Dr. Haskell M. Miller ably listed some of the sentiments most strongly expressed in the Creative Exploration Groups as follows:

—We must have specialized programming in our urban churches to meet the needs of special groups.

—We must involve laymen more in the witnessing (the priesthood) functions of the ministry.

—The church must find out what the **real needs** of the people are, whether they live in the suburbs, in unchurched areas, or in the heart of the city. The church can no longer rely upon traditional assumptions of what these needs are.

—We must continually review our theological and ecclesiastical concepts of the true nature of the church and the mission it has in modern society.

—We must improve the quality of theological awareness among the people of our churches.

—In order to become meaningfully involved in urban renewal and city planning, the church must understand and relate to the planning process and

the power structure of the community. This is another area of challenge for lay participation.

—One important reason for the church's ineffectiveness in the inner city is that it is oriented to stable-family emphases, whereas stable whole-family units are not the normal pattern in the inner city social structure.

—A truly redemptive ministry to the needs of people may challenge us to a new alignment of our loyalties, so long limited to a local church or even to denominational demands.

—To provide an effective mission of the church we must develop plans for financing the **total** church and placing our best leadership in places not formerly associated with the highest status.

—Worship experiences of the church must be vitalized, dramatised, and made more available—possibly through services at other times than the traditional Sunday hours.

—We need a recovery of the true **koinonia** in the church—through the formation of new small groups as well as through revitalizing the existing groups. But such groups will not in themselves guarantee the coming of the Kingdom.

—Some Methodist Ecclesiastical machinery must be reworked to equip the church to minister to the needs of people. In particular, we need longer tenure of leadership at policy making levels and more continuity in planning and programming.

—The church must not be afraid to adopt and use unconventional methods, but it must not put its trust in bizarre, unusual and spectacular approaches.

—We must quit using the suburban church as a "whipping boy" and find instead better practical ways of recognizing and using its strengths and resources.

—We should appreciate the strength and integrity of the existing institutional structure of the church. We should also courageously undertake an honest and realistic appraisal of the church's many shortcomings so as to improve its effectiveness in adapting to the whole range of problems and needs of people in our cities.

(The Convocation frequently criticised the bureauocracy in the church and still more frequently called upon the Bishops and the church boards and agencies to develop and implement more adequate church-wide strategies for the church's mission.)

Additional sentiments from the Convocation Exploration Group work sheets listed by the directors of the City Department:

—These days call for cooperative planning on the part of Methodist ministers and laymen in the small city. The appointments can be made to bring a variety of talents in ministerial leadership to serve all kinds of needs.

—Many First Churches sponsor new churches, yet in some smaller cities the First Church pastors oppose new churches. Some contended that there are more Methodist where there is more than one church in th smaller city.

—There is an abundance of lay leadership in the Methodist Church. Many laymen can be challenged for important services. Skilled laymen can help in counseling, planning, surveying, and in communications. One church has challenged laymen willing to be loaned to a church in a changing community. There is a place for the deaconess, and one group said a place for lay brothers in the work of the Methodist Church.

—A dominant demand of the conference was in the area of planning for a Methodist strategy. One exploration group worked out an organizational plan for the General Church, for the regional and metropolitan areas, and for the local levels. Methodist laymen who are skilled city-planners are ready to help. A few ministers have taken graduate studies in city planning. The people must be involved in the planning process, and we must avoid just planning for them.

—A seminary trained, experienced young pastor is desired in the new church opportunity. Some retired men have done a good job, but it takes a great deal of energy to start a new church with so many young adults and their families.

—The conference has learned that with help most new churches reach self-support and can be well organized in eighteen months, while groups that grow up on their own take an average of five years before things are ready for full-time pastor and well rounded program.

—There was room to argue over how large a church ought to be. One group explored the idea that when a church has 500 members, it ought to give the next members to begin a new congregation.

—The suburban church has a mission to meet through pastoral care the transplanted people in an unrelated community. The church and its Christ must become the center of interest for them.

—In a residential church as elsewhere, the church program ought to meet the needs of the people, and give them an opportunity to witness to others. Residential churches can be linked in interest with a store-front church, an inner-city church, a mission church school, and can provide funds, services and leadership.

—The residential church has a responsibility to work for good government for the whole city. These churches might consider special ways to train members for potential place of service in government, business, labor etc.

—The college church and Wesley Foundations need to cooperate in theological teaching, but it needs to be done on an understandable level for the students. Yet, pastors need to remember that there is a difference between the level of a freshman and that of the junior and senior.

—"We need to appeal to the 'eggheads'," but the Methodist student magazine ought to try to appeal to the larger student group as well.

—The college church needs a strong voice in the pulpit. The preacher needs to be an energetic man who understands students' needs, and he needs to be ahead of them with a "grasping", seeking mind.

—The apartment dwellers have a built in protection from the visitor. The church is asking if it has made a wrong image of being concerned for self rather than to have the help for persons' needs. The church is seeking ways to be understood and ways to open channels of communication with those in high-rise buildings.

—Churches have often created a wrong image in the eyes of the people before urban renewal or clearance was begun. The present church may also create the wrong image for the people who move in after renewal. One of the greatest services a church can give in some of these areas is the service of the trained social worker.

—Good church extension is the result of good planning. The opportunities are so great that the whole church should be interested. It takes the team work of the local churches, the district, the city society, the Conference Board of Missions, and the Division of National Missions. Where this team work has been developed, there are local churches individually or in groups sponsoring new churches, district and city societies buying land, making donations, and the Division of National Missions helping with services, and with gifts and loans.

—It is time that we stopped selling church property in our cities to other denominations and for other uses. The plea is to keep it and find some use for building or land until the planning body of the conference, organized or to be organized, has ample opportunity to determine what the situation may be in this area in the future.

—You can get more people into the new churches in the suburbs. But, the city church is a feeder for the suburbs. If the people get left out of the church in the city, there will be no point of contact when they move out. Our connectional system must find ways of being connected with churches that can help and those who need help.

—The gathered community of the parish should serve the geographic community around the church.

—Leadership needs to be educated and dedicated. Leaders are called to be prophetic and to be servants and not simply coordinators.

—Does church architecture speak to the transient people of our city? Does it speak of something that is permanent? Are these people not seeking something that is more than temporary?

—The church must maintain a ministry to its support members.
—Each minister should work in his own church, so that re-appointment would be an advancement.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

June 13-17, 1962

Balance Brought Forward	$ 34.35

Receipts

G. H. Caldwell (Centenial Fund)	30.00
Collections Received	
Wednesday night, June 13, 1962	50.05
Thursday night, June 14, 1962	79.70
Friday night, June 15, 1962	79.46
Sunday, June 17, 1962	464.72
Registration ,185 badges at 35c each)	64.75
Total	$803.03

Disbursements

L. A. Brown (mailing)	$ 7.73
Ed. Hall Enterprise (covers)	11.33
Jos. J. Stone (cello badges)	13.91
Jos. J. Stone (ribbon badges)	16.48
Mrs. Jeanne Rudd (secretarial service)	30.00
Mrs. Bettye R. Manuel (secretarial service)	20.00
Miss Juanita Wells (music)	25.00
Miss Charlotte Alston (music)	25.00
S. T. Wyrick (secretarial supplies)	6.00
S. T. Wyrick (recepit book)	1.91
A. & T. College Book Store (secretarial supplies)	17.00
Bennett College (retired ministers and widows)	79.85
Union Memorial Methodist Church	79.46
Bennett College (collection)	79.70
Rev. John G. Corry (grape juice)	1.21
Mrs. Bernice Otudeko (soloist)	2.50
Deal Printing Company	78.28
J. W. Gwyn, Treasurer (retired ministers fund)	277.67
J. W. Gwyn, Treasurer (from Central Fund)	30.00
Total Disbursements	$803.03

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JEEP FOR INDIA (DELHI)
(Dr. Ivy Frey Nelson)

	Contributed
$100.00 Requested:	
St. Matthews, Greensboro (J. G. Corry)	$100.00
$75.00 Requested	None
$50.00 Requested:	
Union Memorial, Greensboro (G. M. Phelps)	50.00
Saint Mark, High Point (J. E. Brower)	50.00
Saint Paul, Winston-Salem (L. M. Mayfield)	50.00
$25.00 Requested:	
Raleigh, N. C. (O. W. Burwick)	
Reidsville, N. C. (Joseph B. Bethea)	25.00
Charlotte, N. C. (C. E. Strickland)	
Lenoir, N. C. (R. C. Sharpe)	25.00

Asheville (Marshall McCallum)	25.00
Hickory (R. D. Sharpe)	25.00
Brooks Memorial, High Point (W. S. McLeod)	25.00
St. Andrews, Winston-Salem (J. W. Gwyn)	25.00
Mt. Pleasant, Winston-Salem (W. R. Crawford)	
	$350.00

Totals by Conferences

Delaware	$850.00
Washington	725.00
North Carolina	350.00
	$1,925.00

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Resolutions

RESOLUTION REGARDING AN APPROACH TO THE ABOLITION OF THE CENTRAL JURISDICTION

WHEREAS, the College of Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction, acting upon the request of the Committee of five (5), appointed by the 1960 Central Jurisdictional Conference, convened a study conference in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 26-28, 1962, and

WHEREAS, the purpose of said study conference was to assist the Committee of five (5) to:

1. To determine and assess the progress of the Methodist Church in the matter of readjusting its racially jurisdictional structure so as to abolish racial segregation in the Methodist Church;
2. To discover and identify possible alternatives available to the Methodist Church on all levels in dealing with this problem;
3. To explore procedures for seeking a consensus within the Central Jurisdiction with respect to achieving the goal of an inclusive Church; and

WHEREAS, the Cincinnati study conference formulated and adopted a set of principles and recommendations regarding the abolition of the Central Jurisdiction as a racially segregated unit in the Methodist Church:

Be it, therefore, resolved that the North Carolina Annual Conference does hereby give its assent to these principles and recommendations of the Cincinnati study conference as possible alternatives for the final abolition of the Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church.

The North Carolina Conference Board of
Christian Social Concerns
GLEN BROOKS, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Words are inadequate to fully express the appreciation that we, the ministers, laymen, and friends have for Dr. Willa B. Player, who has so graciously permitted us to hold the 104th Annual Conference of the Central Jurisdiction here at Bennett College, surrounded by all its natural beauty

To the District Superintendent of the Greensboro District, the pastors and the members and friends who have shared in any way toward making our stay happy, our thanks to you.

As we assembled here for this Annual Session, we have been mindful of the great unfinished task which they who have gone on before us have thus far so nobly advanced. We, too, have resolved to take up the Cross and carry on until we shall hear the words from the Great Commander, "Well Done.

We wish to thank Bishop Edgar A. Love for his wise guidance, patience, and understanding. To those who have addressed our sessions, both

ministerial and laymen, who lifted our souls heavenward and sent us on our way rejoicing, a very special thanks.

Thanks to our First Lady, Mrs. Edgar A. Love, for being among us this week and for adding both charm and dignity to this occasion.

May the blessings of Providence abide continually with all who labored to make our stay complete. May each pastor return to his charge with a determination to make his better—best.

Respectfully Submitted,
Committee on Resolutions
J. F. SAWYER, Chairman

RESOLVED, that the North Carolina Conference apply for membership in the North Carolina Council of Churches.

Submitted,
H. W. PHILLIPS

APPRECIATION TO THE LOVES

(On the eve of the 10th anniversary of the Bishop's election to the Episcopacy)

By Daniel Lyman Ridout

Bishop Love, Fathers, Brethren and Sisters of the Conference:

It was Lord Bacon who said, "Reading maketh a full man, writing an exact man, and conference a ready man." I want to be exact, so I am writing what I wish to attempt to say at this time. I want to be full, so I am reading. I want to be ready, so I am conferring with you on this important matter.

I am free to confess that the words I am about to speak sound for all the world like a first-class eulogy. Such, however, is not the case, for I came not to bury a friend, but to praise him. I see nothing wrong, however, about paying eulogistic encomiums to the living. Perhaps if we did more of that sort of thing, we would all live longer.

"If you have a friend worth loving, love him—
Yes, and let him know that you love him,
Ere life's evening tinge his brow with sunset glow
Why should good words ne'er be said
Of a friend until he's dead?"

We are on the eve of a very significant anniversary—one that means much and is close to the hearts of us all. It was ten years ago that two of Methodism's ablest sons were elevated to the episcopacy of The Methodist Church by the vote and through the wise choice of the delegates to the Fourth Central Jurisdictional Conference. One of those sons was assigned to the Baltimore Area, and for ten years, we have been blest with the able leadership of Edgar Amos Love. No one was more deserving than he of the honor which came to him; no one could have graced the office with more dignity and with greater efficiency. Wherever he has worked, and wherever he has gone, he has commanded the confidence and respect of all whose lives he has touched—for he has evidenced dedication of purpose, keenness of intellect, sagacity of mind, and immaculacy of heart, coupled with the common touch, which has made him the friend of all, both great and small.

After having worked intimately with him for ten years as his most unworthy administrative assistant, I want to give you a true picture of what I think of him.

1. He is capable. He knows the church. He is a great administrator. He leaves a profound impression upon the Annual Conferences of the church over which he presides outside his own Area. Some have been in the South, among our own people of color; some have been in the North, among people of fairer skin. They all join in one accord in saying: "His name is Love; his manner bespeaks love."

2. He is thoroughly honest. Any Christian is thoroughly honest, but some well meaning Christians fall short of the mark of the high calling of God in Christ through some so-called minor sinning, committing such "little sins" (and I have "little sins" in quotes, to be sure) as falsifying their ages to get insurance or jobs, or to have a year or five longer to remain effective.

Any of us who travel on expense accounts, without too much compunction of conscience, may pad them a little—or much—to make sure that we come out all right. When Edgar makes his monthly expense account and sends it to the World Service treasurer, if there is doubt in his mind about an expenditure, he cuts it out. I am in position to know that the church owes him hundreds of dollars that he failed, indeed refused, to include in a perfectly legitimate statement of expense.

He is courageous. His name has been associated by his enemies with that of another great Methodist Bishop, G. Bromley Oxnam, both of whom have been called Communist sympathizers and fellow travelers of those martyrs of the faith who refuse to bow to bigotry and who dare to defend liberty and justice and equality with honor and truth. Thank God, all of us who may have been so labeled by the conservatives, the recalcitrants, the die-hards and the enemies of social change count it an honor so to be called. For they are the enemies of democracy. They are the traitors to the ideals and principles of the founders of the American Republic.

As president of the controversial, all-but-outlawed Methodist Federaation of Social Action, and of the even more controversial and pinkly labeled Southern Conference Educational Fund, Bishop Love has for many years championed the cause of the underprivileged, the downtrodden, the oppressed, and the disenfranchised. And he has done this where it might hurt his personal reputation and prestige most—in the deep South. On last April 13—Friday, the 13th, of all days!—he went to the citadel of American bigotry and brutality—Birmingham, Alabama—and presided over a meeting of the Southern Conference Educational Fund—the first integrated meeting in Birmingham in 25 years.

4. He is a big man—not physically, no, no—but morally and spiritually. You can differ with him vigorously and remain his friend. I have written some strong editorial comments in **The Baltimore Area Messenger** the last ten years. He has never read a line of anything before it appeared in print. He has not once said, "Dan, this is a little too strong. I am not so sure that you should be so critical of our Methodist Church" . . . I have known pastors literally to insult him as he sat in the chair presiding over an Annual Conference. He has yet to get ruffled, or upset, nor has used vengeance as a weapon in dealing with any man. I have known men to malign him and lie on him, but he has dealt with them, in the making of appointments, on the basis of what they have done and can do to promote the interests of the Kingdom of God. That, my friends is an evidence of true religion, pure and undefiled.

5.—And finally, he is compassionate, as any bishop or priest or minister or lay Christian must be. He is touched by the feeling of the infirmities of his brethren. I thought, until I went to work with him, that I was the world's softest touch, but not so, Brethren. Edgar is softer. Where there is destitution, or emergency, or mental anguish, or distress of any kind, he helps. (Don't anybody get destitute or distressed before you go home, please, or he'll go home broke)! It can be said of him, as it was said of our Master, "He looked upon the multitudes, and He was moved with compassion."

It is cliche to say that behind every good man there is a woman—a mother or sister, or especially a wife. And what shall we say of Virgie? Blessed with the graces of charm and beauty, Virginia Ross Love is the kind of woman whom Shakespeare describes as having "a voice, gentle, soft and low—an excellent thing in woman". Time does not permit us to pay her the tribute that she highly deserves.

I only need to say that I wonder how Edgar fooled her into marrying him. I have always said that however good a man is, he is underserving of the good wife he has. Perhaps he quoted poetry to her. Indeed, he must have quoted to the love he sought this greatest of love poems, **Love's Apotheosis,** by Paul Laurence Dunbar:

"Love me, I care not what the circling years to me may do,
If, but in spite of time, and tide, and tears, you prove but true.
"Love me. Albeit grief shall dim mine eyes, and tears bedew,
I shall not e'en complain, for then my skies shall still be blue.

"Love me, and though the winter's snows shall pile and leave me chill,
Thy passion's warmth shall make for me, meanwhile, a sunkissed hill.
"Love me, and when the days have lengthened into years, and I grow old,
O spite of pains, and griefs, and cares, and fears, grow thou not cold.
"Then hand in hand we shall pass up the hill—I say not down,
That twain go up of love, to gain love's crown.
"Love me, and let my life take up thine own, as sun the dew,
Come, sit my Queen, for in my heart a throne awaits for you."

And so Edgar and Virgie, we take this time to congratulate you on your 10th anniversary in the bishopric of The Methodist Church. You have maintained the nobility and integrity of the office, and you have honored it, as the church has honored you. We have not attempted to canonize you, or to deify you, or to immortalize you. The length of days and the record of history will determine that. We offer you no material gift, but we give you renewed assurance of our love and of our devotion and our appreciation for your safe and consecrated leadership. May God give you length of years, health of body, ever-increasing wisdom of mind, and strength of spirit, that you may continue to serve him with vigor and with fruitfulness.

HISTORICAL RECORD OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES

Rev. G. Haven Caldwell ..... October 1953-October 1944
Rev. Horace C. Woodland ..... October 1944-October 1945
Rev. W. J. Cameron ..... October 1945-October 1949
Rev. W. J. Hogue ..... October 1949-November 1951
Rev. James E. McCallum ..... November 1951-June 1956
Rev. Douglas E. Moore ..... June 1956-June 1960
Rev. James T. Jones ..... June 1960-June 1962
Rev. S. E. NeSmith ..... June 1962-

WILL OF THE LATE EVANGELIST FROST

To the Division of National Missions of the Methodist Church $500.00
J. W. GWYN, Treasurer

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Roll of the Deceased Members Of the Conference

Our Promoted Fellow Workers

"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1861	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 ... Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 ... Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 ... Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 ... Maxton
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	April 1, 1884 ... Greensboro
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	January 9, 1887 ... Raleigh
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	April 1, 1888 ... Greensboro
1816	James Payne	1878	9	August, 1888 ... Raleigh
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August 12, 1890 ... Marion
	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	1891 ... Hickory
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		September 16, 1882 ... Kenersville
1830	W. W. Morgan	1827	27	November, 1892 ... Dobson
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1894 ... Lexington
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	May 20, 1896 ... Lexington
	W. W. Smith	1888	19	November, 1898 ... Hamlet
1839	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	May 20, 1900 ... Reidsville
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	April 20, 1900 ... Maxton
1864	O. Letterlough	1899	2	July 3, 1900 ... Lenoir
1840	C. Harshaw	1828	16	November 6, 1910 ... Mt. Airy
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 7, 1903 ... McPelah
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 1, 1903 ... McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 ... Salem
1941	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 ... High Point
1937	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 ... Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 ... Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 ... Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 ... Rowland
	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 ... Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 ... High Point
1831	David Connell	1878	41	December 15, 1912 ... Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 ... Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 ... Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 ... Lamar, S. C.
	Ellis Ellison			March 28, 1917 ... Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 ... Greensboro
	John C. Robins		23	July 8, 1917 ... Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		22	August 25, 1918 ... High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1898	12	... Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	... Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		... Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	... Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 ... Oxford

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		February 26, 1920 ..... Old Fort
	Henry Fink	...	6	
1835	L. B. Gibson	....	6	March 26, 1922 ..... Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	April 28, 1922 ..... Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 ..... Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 ..... Greensboro
...	J. H. Isham	....	..	September 21, 1927 ..... Rockingham
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 ..... Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 ..... Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 ..... Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 ..... Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 ..... Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	January 30, 1930 .... Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	February, 1930 ..... Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	39	1930 ..... High Point
1845	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 ..... Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 ..... Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	September, 1930 ..... Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty	1906	36	1930 ..... Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur	1887	44	November, 1931 ..... Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris	1890	41	May, 1931 ..... Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambougher	1910	21	September, 1931 ..... Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black	1907	24	December 20, 1931 ..... Winston
	J. A. Cherry	...	16	May 10, 1932 ..... Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock	1885	37	June 13, 1932 ..... Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard	1917	15	July 10, 1932 ..... Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope	1883	37	July 22, 1932 ..... Winston
1896	G. T. Foley	1925	8	January 4, 1933 ..... High Point
1843	J. C. Addie	1894	32	May 2, 1933 ..... Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks	1874	34	May 12, 1933 ..... High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin	1811	12	July 17, 1933 ..... Greensboro
1852	J. D. Hairston	1885	28	October 23, 1933 ..... Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells	1889	32	January 18, 1934 ..... Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett	1882	21	February 9, 1935 ..... Reidsville
1852	A. H. Newsome	1883	52	September 30, 1935 ..... Greensboro
1868	W. R. Zeigler	1893	40	November 6, 1935 ..... Greensboro
1862	S. L. May	1880	52	August 8, 1936 ..... Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden	1903	33	October 11, 1936 ..... Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Presley	1929	8	January 5, 1937 ..... Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernathy	1930	7	1937 ..... Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis	1891	45	May 20, 1937 ..... Greensboro
1860	S. F. B. Peace	1891	46	December 14, 1937 ..... Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales	1902	36	May 15, 1938 ..... Madison
....	M. M. Patrick	....	..	May 23, 1938 ..... Greensboro
	P. J. Cook	....	..	July 28, 1938 ..... Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse	1921	19	September, 1938 .... Winston-Salem
....	P. F. Johnson	1898	39	December 27, 1938 ..... Hickory
....	H. O. Fredrick		..	1939
	A. B. McQueen	1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead	1868	55	1940 ..... Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherby	1903	38	July 21, 1940 ..... Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann	1914	27	1941 ..... Asheville
1882	Henry Jones	1829	13	1941 ..... Elkin
..	J. M. McNair	...		1942 ..... Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson	1900	43	July 10, 1943 ..... Greensboro

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1852	Marcus Munday	1888	39	1944 ... Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams	1933	11	February, 1944 ... Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea	1893	43	September 25, 1944 ... New York
	C. D. Kirkland			... Lincolnton
	W. M. Wells			February 12, 1946 ... Laurinburg
	Dorsey McRae			... Maxton
	J. C. Rush	1920	25	... Winston-Salem
	A. M. Robinson			1950
	B. E. Staten			1950
	W. O. Thomas			1950
	H. H. Houston			1951
	B. F. Thomas			1951
	E. M. Felder			1951
	A. E. Robinson			1952
	D. A. Hill			1953
	N. J. Pass			1953 ... Shelby
	P. W. Webb			1953
	D. L. Thomas			December 7, 1953 ... Raleigh
	J. W. Hall			1954 ... Oxford
	J. W. Lynch			February 3, 1954 ... High Point
	P. I. Wells			April 2, 1953 ... Greensboro
	R. J. Shipp			May 4, 1943
	S. B. Cornelius			1954
	R. B. Rhyne			1956 ... Red Springs
	J. L. Alford			1958 ... Sanford
	Beverly Brown	1943		1957 ... Reidsville
	T. H. Wooten	1931		1957 ... Charlotte
	B. J. Stewart	1937		1958 ... Reidsville
	R. W. Winchester	1901		1959 ... Greensboro
	S. B. McBrayer	1936		1959 ... Shelby
	B. F. Gleaves	1924		1959 ... Maxton
	J. H. Ledwell	1932		1959 ... Greensboro
	H. A. Davis	1923	37	1960 ... Greensboro
	D. C. Skeen	1907	36	1960 ... Thomasville
	Evangelist Frost	1943	18	February 17, 1961 ... Mocksville
	Calvin Leroy Gidney	1926	31	July 4, 1961 ... Lexington

XIV

Historical View

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conference. In the year 1836, the General Conference was set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Conference of December 4, 1844, there were 10,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May, 1945, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A.M.E. Church, some the Colored M.E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M.E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

GENERAL SESSIONS

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.		G. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20030	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	G. H. Leigh		20225	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20. 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant		22851	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		28413	
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Soule	S. S. Bryant		21247	

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Marton	17	4100	...
10—January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames			...	...
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	James	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
14—January 3, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	10171	106
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	1012	97
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
25—February 6, 1884		Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
26—February 5, 1885		Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
27—February 11, 1886		Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
28—October 14, 1886		Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
29—October 29, 1887		Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	..
32—October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	63	...	...
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	73	8884	133
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas			
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133
41—October 12, 1899	Reidsville	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42—October 11, 1900		Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	..
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171
55—November 20-23(1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
56—November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
57—December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58—November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59—November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60—November 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61—November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G: Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
62—November 11-14-, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195
63—November 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Haldwell	90	12557	195
65—November 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195
66—Oct. 20.-Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218
67—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
68—Otcober 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh		S. A. Peeler	97	13138	149
69—October 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161
70—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	98	13762	179
71—October 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
72—November 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13757	161
73—November 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	92	13614	167
74—October 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	91	13614	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	90	13310	158
76—October 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	89	13220	163
77—October 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	83	13474	164
78—October 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	80	13470	164
79—October 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	78	13473	164
80—October 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	77	12400	164
81—October 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	77	13662	164
82—November 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	73	13076	104
83—October 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	75	11786	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	75	12706	164
85—October 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	72	12990	164
86—October 25-29, 1944	Lenoir		J. E. Brower	85	13088	178
87—Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1954	Lumberton	Brooks, R. N.	J. E. Brower	82	12573	159
88—Oct. 29-Nov. 3, 1946	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	85	13783	159
89—Oct. 28-Nov. 2, 1947	Reidsville	Shaw, A. P.	M. McCallum	89	12424	159
80—November 3-7, 1948	Hickory	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	89	13232	159
91—November 3-6, 1949	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	..	....	..
92—November 2-5, 1950	Hamlet	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney			
93—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1951	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	70		
94—June 4-8, 1952	Greensboro	Shaw, A. P.	W. R. Crawford	75		
95—June 3-7, 1953	Lenoir	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	75		
96—June 2-6, 1954	Asheville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	70		
97—June 15-19, 1955	Laurinburg	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	67	14834	
98—May 29-June 3, 1956	Raleigh	Bowen, J. W. E.	W. R. Crawford	70	14877	87
99—June 4-9, 1957	Winston-Salem	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	79		87
100—June 10-15, 1958	Greensboro	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	76	13912	86
101—June 4-7, 1959	Fayetteville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	86	14975	86
102—June 15-19, 1960	Durham	Love, E. A.	John G. Corry	67	15573	86
103—June 14-18, 1961	Charlotte	Love, E. A.	John G. Corry	76		91
104—June 13-17, 1962	Greensboro	Love, E. A.	John G. Corry	64		93

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Record of Service in the North Carolina Annual Conference

EFFECTIVE ELDERS AND PROBATIONERS

ARMSTRONG, CLINTON C.
1951-'59 Browning Chapel, Greensboro
Instructor, Bennett Coll.
1960 Laughlin Memorial

ASHFORD, JAMES DAVID
1950 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1950 Ripley Ct.
1951 West Point
1952 Ackerman
1953 In School
1956 Transferred to North Carolina Conference 6-2-56
1956 Leaksville
1957 Newton Granite Falls
1958 E. Thomasville
1960 Maxton
1961 Elkin
1962 Sabbatical Leave

BAILEY, CHARLES W., SR.
1946-54 Wilkesboro, Boone
1956 Statesville Ct.

BETHEA, JOSEPH BENJAMIN
1952 In School
1953 Walhalla
1954 Ninety Six
1956 Received in the N. C. Conference
1956 Elkin, Jonesville
1961 Reidsville

BLACK, EUGENE
1943 Brown Summit
1949 Basses, Raleigh
1959 South Greensboro
1960 Goshen

BLANTON, JOHN JULIUS
1911 Newton
1913 Machpelah
1914 Machpelah, Stanley
1915 Walnut Cove
1919 Wilkesboro
1920 Elkin, Jonesville
1925 Lowesville
1926 Lowesville; Ebenezer
1928 Retired
Died 3-20-49

BRIDGES, RAMSEY MAY
1942 Washington; Asbury (Asst.)
1943 Cumberland; Frostburg
1946 Hickory
1949 Simpson (Charlotte)
1950 Transferred to N. Y. Conf.

BROOKS, GLENN ALBERT
1945 Marion
1947 Statesville
1949 Asheboro
1953 Lexington, Midway
1960 Thomasville; East, Midway

BROWER, JOHN E.
1922 South High Point
1925 Deidsville
1929 Laurinburg Cool Springs
1930 Supt.: Winston District
1936 Asheville
1940 Greensboro, St. Matthews
1945 Supt.: Greensboro District
1951 Greensboro, St. Matthews
1960 High Point, St. Mark

BROWN, BEVERLY
1943 Bomore, Mt. Zion
1944 Statesville, Scott's Chlx.
1946 New Port News, Pleasant Ridge
1950 Forest City
1951 Reidsville
Died 9-1-57

BROWN, LEANDER A.
1929 In School
1931 Pen Hook
1933 High Point, Brooks Mem.
1934 Lexington
1939 Lenoir
1940 Asheville, Berry Temple
1957 Supt.: Winston District
1960 Supt.: Greensboro District

BROWN, WILLIAM T.
1943 Kingston
1944 Marumsco, Kingston
1946 Maxton; Piney Grove
1948 Raleigh
1951 Fayetteville
1954 Greensboro, Union Memorial
1957 Supt.: Greensboro District
1960 Browning Chapel, Celia Phelps
1961 Browning Chapel

BURGE, BENJAMIN
1912 Lincolnton Ct.
1914 King's Mountain; Lincolnton
1915 Lenoir Ct.

1916 Denver; Ebenezer
1918 Ebenezer, Cornelius
1919 West Asheville, Waynesville
1921 Bessemer City
1926 Lawndale, Brooks
1929 Newton; Conover
1932 Lenoir
1936 Marion
1940 Statesville; Philadelphia
1942 Statesville Ct.
1944 Newton Ct.
1957 Retired
1957 Mt. Holly

BURWICK, OSCAR W.
1939 Lenoir City
1940 Forest City
1941 Forest City, Shelby
1942 Boulware Chapel
1943 Johns, Beaver Dam
1944 Gastona, Epworth, Cherryville
1948 Maxton
1949 Hickory
1952 Maxton
1953 Asheboro
1958 Raleigh

BYERS, GEORGE W.
1887 Cleveland
1888 Goldsborough
1890 Piney Grove, John Station
1892 Rowland, Salem
1896 Maxton
1900 Lumberton
1901 Melrose; Hickory Bend
1906 Shelby, Falston
1907 Red Springs, Beaumont
1908 Hickory Bend
1910 Summerfield
1912 Greensboro, Northwest
1916 Greensboro, South
1924 Bolar
1925 Withers Chapel; Paine
1926 Wilkesboro
1928 Retired
Died 6-8-45

BYNUM, CHARLES G.
1926 Empire
1928 Newton; Conover
1930 Zion Hill; Hazes
1932 Old Fort; Gladees
1933 Greensboro; Southeast
1934 Greensboro; Extension
1938 Walkertown Chester Gr.
1939 Mt. Holly Ct.
1940 Johns; Beaver Dam
1941 Advance; Oak Grove
1945 Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1947 Randleman; St. Peters; Mt. Zion
1950 Lincolnton
1953 Mt. Airy
1956 Penhook Ct.
1957 Cox Chapel; Shady Grove
1960 King's Mt.; St. Paul; East Bethel
1961 Oxford Ct.
1962 Wilkesboro & Harpers

CALDWELL, FRED D.
1919 Boone's Mill, Rocky Mt.
1922 Advance
1923 Kernersville
1925 Gammon Seminary
1928 Ramseur
1929 Rowland
1930 Asheboro
1936 High Point
1939 Maxton
1938 Thomasville
1948 Supt.: Laurinburg District
1954 Mt. Carmel; Warren St.
1961 Retired; Raleigh's Crossroads

CALDWELL, GILBERT HAVEN
1908 North Greensboro
1909 In School
1910 Liberty, Glenola
1911 West Asheville
1913 Statesville; Philadelphia
1914 West Raleigh
1917 In School
1918 YMCA Army Work
1919 Bennett College (Prof.)
1921 Bennett College (Dean)
1923 Samuel Houston College (Prof.)
1925 Asheville
1930 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1931 Supt.: Western District
1937 Winston-Salem, St. Paul
1937 Winnston-Salem, St. Paul
1941 Conference Youth Counselor
1944 Dallas, Texas, St. Paul
1948 Conf. Secretary Evangelism
1949 Wesley Tab.; Galveston
1951 Faculty, Samuel Houston College
1952 Professor, Calflin College
1957 Reidsville
1961 Retired; Celia Phelps
1954 Ramseur, Laughlins

CAMERON, WALTER J.
1932 Ramseur
1934 Greensboro; High Point
1936 Lumberton
1941 Raleigh
1947 Conference Exec. Secretary
1949 Supt.: Western District
1955 Thomasville, St. John

CAMPBELL, JAMES FRANKLIN
1959 In School, Gammon Semin'ry
1960 Gastonia
1962 Transferred to Lexington Conference

CAMPT, LOWELL MASON
1945 Penhook, Boon's Mill
Died 8-8-49

COLE, WYATT P.
1946 Oak Grove; Red Bank
1948 Oak Grove; Rural Hall; Red Bank
1950 Advance; Elkin
1951 Advance; Pilot Mountain; Jones Temple
1955 Pilot Mt.; Mount Airy
1957 Trinity Ct.
1959 Trinity; St. Mary's

CORRY, JOHN G.
1955 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1956 Transferred to N. C. Conf.
1956 In School, Gammon Semin'ry
1957 Leaksville
1960 Greensboro, St. Matthews

CORNELIUS, SANDY B.
1896 Franklin
1897 Boone
1899 Waynesville; Beaver Dam
1900 Waynesville
1901 Franklin
1902 Hendersonville
1903 Supernumerary
1904 Relocated—Own Request
1906 Readmitted; Old Fort
1907 Black Mountain
1916 Supernumerary
1924 Retired
1925 Supernumerary
1926 Retired

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.
1943 In School
1947 Winston-Salem, Mt. Pleasant

DAVIS, H. A.
1923 Randleman
1924 Trinity
1925 John Station
1927 Johns-Beaver Dam
1928 Kernersville
1929 Ramseur
1931 Brown Summit
1935 Brown Summit-Caswell
1936 Trinity; Glenola
1938 Pen Hook
1941 West Asheville
1943 Wilkesboro
1944 Kings Mountain
1945 Mt. Holly
1947 Empire
1952 Mt. Zion; Greensboro
Died 1960

DULA, JOHN Q.
1936 Pen Hook
1938 Randleman
1940 Empire Circuit
1944 Forest City
1948 Elkin; Jonesville
1956 Shelby Ct.
1957 Mooresville Ct.
1960 Marion; Old Fort

FERREE, JAMES W.
1949 Statesville, Philadelphia
1955 Maxton; Beauty Spot
1956 Maxton; Beauty Spot
1957 Lumberton; Beauty Spot

FINK, HENRY H.
1912 Monroe; Bethel
1913 Catawba; Ht. Morn
1918 Retired
Died 2-9-20

FRAZIER, THOMAS C.
1906 South Greenville
1909 Belton
1911 Greenwood
1912 Chesnee
1914 Wilkinsville
1914 Townsville; Bullock
1916 Lawndale; Flat Rock
1918 Bessemer City, Kings Mt.
1919 Bessemer City; Galilee
1921 Winston; Mayes Chapel
1926 Transferred to East Tenn.
1924 Forest City
1927 Chattanooga; Staley
1928 North Carolina, Philadelphia
1929 Advance
1930 Marion
1933 Statesville, Philadelphia
1937 Catawba Ct.
1938 Lexington
1939 Brown Summit, Caswell
1940 Basses; Browning
1941 Kernersville
1942 Wilkesboro
1943 Mt. Holly Ct.
1944 Mt. Holly; Rock Grove
1945 Retired
Died 1958

FRIEND, IRA A.
1928 Red Bank; Sunny Home
1929 Walkertown; Zion Hill; Hayes Chapel
1936 Johns; Salem
1937 Walkertown; Walnut Cove
1938 Walnut Cove; Hayes Chapel
1938 Lowesville; Tuckers
1940 Mooresville Ct.
1949 Mount Airy; Jones Temple
1950 Wesley Chapel; Chapel Hill
1955 Red Springs
1958 Mt. Zion; Philadelphia
1959 Advance
1960 Retired: Advance
1962 Oxford Circuit

FROST, EVANGELIST
1943 Trinity, Glenola
1945 Trinity Ct.

1946 Thomasville; Trinity; Glenola
1947 Trinity Ct.
1955 Retired
Died 1961

GAMBLE, JAMES WILLIAM
1930 South Carolina Conf.
1930 Pendleton Charge
1932 No Record
1942 Joined N. C. Conference
1943 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1946 Kings Mountain
1949 Catawba Larger Parish
1950 Supernumerary

GANNAWAY, HERBERT C.
1926 In School
1927 Newport News
1928 Gastonia
1932 Rowland; Salem
1933 Madison
19355 Leaksville
1938 Maxton
1940 Maxton; Piney Grove
Died 7-7-45

GARRETT, JAMES HENRY
1903 Jackson
1907 Danville, Spray
1909 Jackson
1914 Jackson, Rankin
1916 Wentworth; Settles
1922 Caswell
1925 Retired
Died 2-9-35

GIDNEY, CALVIN LEROY
1926 Charlotte Mission
1927 Rowland; Salem
1928 Rockingham Ct.
1930 Mount Airy
1932 Winston-Salem Mt. Pleasant
1933 Newton; Conover
1934 Sherrills Ford
1938 Mooresville
1940 Lowesville Ct.
1941 Gastonia; Cherryville
1944 Lexington
1952 Lexington; Raleigh
1953 Raleigh
1958 Forest City
1960 Lexington
Died 7-4-61

GLEAVES, BENJAMIN F.
1924 Wilmington
1926 Ramseur
1928 Cherryville; Bethel
1929 Shelby
1930 Cherryville
1932 Kings Mountain
1940 Rowland; Salem
1942 Philadelphia; New Zion; Pembroke
1944 Hoffman; Pembroke
1946 Wilmington; Bolton; Pembroke
1947 Bolton
1949 Bolton; Pembroke; Mt. Zion
19455 New Zion; Mt. iZon
1958 Retired
Died 1958

GRAHAM, OSCAR M.
1944 Bolton
1945 In School
1948 Forest City
1949 Gastonia
1950 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1955 Goldsboro
1958 Bolton
1959 Maxton
6-5-'60 Transferred to East Tennessee Conference
9-60 Transferred to N. C. Conf.
1961 Hamlet

GWYN, JAMES W.
1948 In School
1951 Ramseur
1953 Oxford
1957 Winston-Salem; St. Andrews and Walnut Cove

HAIRSTON, W. E.
1917 Empire
1918 Newport News
1919 Rowland; Salem
1921 Leaksville
1926 South High Point
1928 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1929 Lumberton
1936 Hickory
1939 Leave of Absence
1940 Brown Summit Ct.
1941 Asheboro, Mitchell
1946 Greensboro, High St.
1954 Sabbatical Leave
1955 Wesley and Chapel Hill
1959 Wesley
1960 Retired: Wesley
1961 No Appointment

HALL, J. W.
1926 Oxford
1929 Oxford; Township
Died 1953

HARKNESS, DAVID S.
1935 Spring Hill, Central Ala. Conference
1936 Scotsboro, Central Ala. Conference
1937 In School
1940 Center Grove Ct., Central Alabama Conference

1942 Waynesboro, Savannah, Ga. Conference
1943 Macon, Savannah, Ga. Conf.
1944 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1948 Murfreesboro
1949 Transferred to N. C. Conf.
1949 Gastonia
1950 Kings Mountain
1950 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1952 Red Springs
1953 Maxton
1955 Marion
1960 Leaksville

HILL, DOCK A.

1930 Star
1931 Liberty Grove
1933 Trinity; Glenola
1936 Brown Summit
1939 Advance; Oak Grove
1939 Retired
1940 Greensboro
1942 Kernersville Ct.
1947 Lincolnton Ct.
1944 Empire
1949 West Asheville
Died

HOGUE, GEORGE E.

1929 Lenoir Ct.
1930 Pen Hook
1931 Franklin
1934 Johns; Beaver Dam
1935 Johns, Salem
1936 Red Springs; St. Mark's; Hickory Bend
1942 Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1943 Supt.: Western District
1949 Exec. Sec. Conference Board of Education
1951 Laurinburg

HOUSTON, HOLTON HENRY

1935 Hunters
1936 Bessemer City
1940 Lenoir Circuit
1943 Lenoir
1946 Lenoir
Died

HOWARD, CHARLES B.

1919 Madison
1920 Winson; Reynolda; Boston Cottage
1923 Wilkesboro
1925 Supernumerary
1926 Mocksville
1927 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1928 Retired

ISHAM, JOHN H.

1919 Newport News
1920 Madison; Stoneville
1921 Forest City
1924 Oxford, Bullocks
1926 Rockingham; Philadelphia
Died 9-21-27

JENKINS, P. W.

1938 In School
1939 Thomasville
1941 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1961 Transferred to S. C.-Arizona Conf.

JOHNSON, PETER F.

1898 Marion
1899 Standley; Mt. Holly
1901 Monroe
1902 Patterson
1903 Newton
1904 Winston Ct.
1905 Advance; St. James
1907 Salisbury
1909 Jonesville
1912 Sherrill's Ford
1916 Marion; Addies Chapel
1918 Lenoir
1919 Newton; Conover
1920 Lawndale, Flat Rock
1922 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1924 Mooresville; Mayhew
1926 Old Fort
1927 Greensboro; East
1928 Asheboro
1930 Rowland, Salem
1931 Catawba
1932 Wilkesboro
1933 Bessemer City, Cherryville, Bethel
1934 Bessemer; Galilee
1935 Lenoir Ct.
1937 West Asheville
1938 Retired
Died 1938

JONES, HENRY

1927 Rural Hall
Died 5-27-41

JONES, JOHN W.

1916 Kernersville
1920 Madison Ct.
1922 McPelah; St. James
1923 McPelah; Stanley
1924 Boone
1925 Retired
Died December, 1930

JONES, JOHN WESLEY

1943 Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1945 Thomasville
1948 Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's Grove
1949 Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's and Chestnut Grove
1945 East Thomasville
1958 Asheboro and St. Mark

JONES, JAMES T.
1950 Browning Chapel
1951 Gastonia; Epworth
1957 Gastonia and Bessemer City
1958 Gastonia
1960 Durham
1962 Brooks Memorial

JONES, M. M.
1891 Asheville
1894 Maxton; Piney Grove
1895 Reidsville
1896 Greensboro
1898 Laurinburg
1900 Supt.: Western District
1906 Supt.: Raleigh District
1909 Supt.: Winston District
1912 Charlotte
1915 Lexington, Thomasville
1917 Red Springs, Hickory Bend
1918 Red Springs; Bowmore
1920 Supt.: Wilmington District
Died 3-9-25

JOYNER, HENRY, JR.
1960 Collins Grove; Holmes Gr.
1961 Lexington

KIRKLAND, GEORGE DAVID
1942 Catawba Ct.
Died 11-27-45

KEARSE, DAVID H.
1898 Reidsville, S. C.
1899 Yorkville
1901 Cowpens
1913 Seneca
1914 Supernumerary
1915 Withdraw
1921 Durham, Creedmore
1922 Lawndale, Brooks
1925 Shelby Ct.
1926 Bessemer City
1928 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1930 Rockingham; South Pines
1931 Rockingham, Philadelphia
1932 Pembroke Ct.
1938 Retired
Died 1938

LAUGHLIN, JAMES A.
1898 Statesville; Philadelphia
1902 Central Randolph
1905 West Greensboro
1910 Greensboro, High Street; Bass
1914 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1918 Supt.: Western District
1928 Guilford
1925 Retired
Died 11-19-25

LAUGHLIN, MARCUS C.
1908 East Greensboro
1919 Lenoir
1924 Newton, Conover
1925 East Thomasville
1932 Midway; Chestnut Grove
Died 7-17-33

LAUGHLIN, M. SAMUEL
1933 Pen Hook
1936 Ramseur
1940 Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1941 Marion; Old Fort
1942 Marion Ct.
1944 Marion; Addie Chapel
1945 Madison; Stoneville
1947 Winston-Salem, St. Andrew's
1953 St. Home, Winston-Salem
1955 Statesville
1956 Wilkesboro Ct.
1958 Lawesville
1960 Lowesville; Motts Grove
1961 Lowesville; St. Paul

LEDWELL, JAMES H.
1932 Caswell
1934 Kernersville
1935 Kernersville
1938 Bass Chapel
1940 Kernersville Ct.
1941 Wesley; Chapel Hill
1950 Retired
Died 1958

LOMAX, WALTER T.
1903 Greensboro, High Street
1905 Central Randolph
1910 Reidsville Ct.
1912 Greensboro; South
1915 Greensboro; Northwest
1924 Hickory
1929 Reidsville
1933 High Point, St. Mark's
1939 Supt.: Greensboro District
1941 Basses; Raleigh's Crossroads
1949 Retired
1950 Brown Summit Charge
1958 Kernersville

LYNCH, JAMES WATKINS
1946 Asheboro
1949 Kernersville
1951 Supernumerary
Died 1956

MATTISON, ERNEST N.
1937 Mt. Holly; Stanley
1939 Newton, Conover
1940 Mt. Holly Circuit
1943 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1947 In School
1949 Fayetteville
1951 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1954 Forest City
1957 Washington Conference

MAYFIELD, LAMON

1936 Randleman
1938 Guilford; Kernersville
1939 Greensboro, High Point
1940 Ramseur, Marion
1941 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1951 Supt.: Winston District
1957 Winston-Salem; St. Paul

MILLS, JOHN S.

1956 Wilmington, Transferred from A.M.E. Zion
1957 Maxton
1959 Chaplain, U. S. Army
1961 Transferred to Wash. Conf.

McBRAYER, SUMMIE B.

1936 Bessemer, Galilee
1938 Sherrills Ford, Lincolnton
1940 Catawba Ct.
1942 Newton Ct.
1944 Shelby; Philadelphia, Durham Chapel
1945 Mount Airy
1949 Rowland; Salem
1953 Red Springs
1955 Mooresboro; Philadelphia
Died 1959

McCALLUM, F. FELTON

1937 Tazewell
1938 S. Pittsburg
1939 Chattanooga; Grace
1941 Clade Springs Ct.
1942 Winchester
1943 Steubenville
1945 Maysville
1946 Evansville; Rockport
1948 Detroit Mitchell Memorial
1949 Owensboro
1950 New Zion
1952 New London, Sec. Meth
1953 Newport News
1954 Sanford Ct.
1055 Kings Mountain
1957 Red Springs
1959 Chapel Hill
1960 Chapel Hill Circuit
1961 Brown Summit
1962 Ramseur

McCALLUM, JAMES ENOCH

1947 In School
1950 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1951 Conference Director of Religious Education
1956 Chaplain, Wiley Chapel

McCALLUM, JAMES H.

1942 Hoffman Ct.
1944 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1948 Bomore; Piney Grove
1949 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1951 Maxton
1953 Cool Springs; Hoffman
1956 Johns St. Piney Grove

McCALLUM, MARSHALL

1921 Greensboro; Northwest
1924 In School
1927 Shelby; Kings Mountain
1928 Boston Univ. and Asst. Pastor, Fourth St. Methodist Church, Boston, Mass.
1929 Newport News
1930 Calflin College
1934 Orangeburg, Trinity Charge Prof., Allen Univ.
1945 Lenoir
1948 Reidsville; Mt. Zion
1951 Hamlet
1957 Asheville

McCALLUM, ROBERT FRANK

1926 Arlington
1927 Elkn
1930 Greensboro, South
1933 Leaksville
1935 Winston-Salem, St. Andrews
1942 Supt.: Winston District
19455 Supt.: Laurinburg District
1948 St. John; Midway
1955 St. Home, Winston
1959 Mt. Tabor
1960 Retired; Mt. Tabor

McDONALD, SAMUEL

1907 Lumberton
1909 Mount Airy
1911 Hamlet; Philadelphia
1913 Jonesville
1916 Forshee
1917 Central Randolph
1918 Retired
Died 9-2-20

McLEAN, DANIEL HUGH

1942 Daytona Beach, Florida
1944 Gainesville, Florida
1953 Lumberton
1957 Hamlet
1961 Forest City

McLEOD, EDWARD MORTON

1925 Catawba Ct.
1927 Catwaba Ct.
1928 Lowesville; McPelah, St. James
1932 Shelby, Brooks
1935 Forest City; Shelby
1937 Bowmore, Mt. Zion
1941 Ramseur
1944 Leaksville
1949 Bowmore; Piney Grove

1954 Johns, Piney Grove
1956 Bolton
1955 Retired

McLEOD, WILLIAM S.
1933 Beauty Spot
1936 West Raleigh
1941 High Point, St. Mark's
1945 Supt.: Winston District
1951 High Point, Brooks Mem.
1962 Retired

McNAIR, JOHN R.
1907 In School
1908 Monroe, Bethel
1909 Wilmington Ct.
1912 Pleasant Ridge
1915 Lawndale, Flat Rock
1916 In School
1918 Leaksville
1921 Norfolk
1923 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1924 Retired
Died 11-28-41

McRAE, ROBERT B.
1922 Goldsboro
1923 Ramseur
1926 Franklin
1929 Winston-Salem, Mt. Pleasant
1930 Hamlet
1939 Charlotte
1940 Supt.: Laurinburg District
1945 High Point, St. Mark's
1950 Reidsville
1952 Forest City
1954 Fayetteville
1962 Saints Home

MOORE, DOUGLAS E.
1950 In School
1953 Ramseur
1954 Leaksville
1956 Executive Sec., Durham
1960 Missionary

MURPHY, MILES, JR.
1956 Laurinburg Ct.
1959 Rhyne Mem.; Red Springs

PASS, NORRIS JAN
1906 Newport News
1907 Gastonia; Bessemer City
1908 Gastonia
1910 Lexington; Thomasville
1915 Charlotte
1918 Laurinburg, Cool Springs
1923 Supt.: Western District
1929 Lawndale; Brooks
1932 Forest City; Lawndale
1935 Lawndale; Brooks
1944 Shelby; Brooks
1954 Philadelphia
Died 1953

PATTERSON, GEORGE W.
1925 Boone
1926 Mooresville; Mayhew
1928 Marion
1929 Forest City
1930 Wilkesboro
1932 West Asheville
1933 Wilkesboro
1934 Catawba
1936 Newton; Conover
1939 Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 King's Mt. Ct.
1941 Elkin
1944 John's Beaver Dam
1946 John's; Beauty Spot
1947 Rowland; Salem
1949 Mooresville
1957 Kings Mountain
1959 Philadelphia; Brooks
1961 Retired; Denver

PATTERSON, JOHN JETHRO
1940 Fayetteville
1943 Hamlet
1950 High Point; St. Mark's
1960 Supt.: Winston District

PEACE, SAMUEL F. B.
1896 Lenoir
1899 Gastonia
1900 Laurinburg
1906 Charlotte
1908 Supt.: Greensboro District
1915 Greensboro, High Street; Raleigh
1919 Winston, Mays Chapel
1921 Rowland, Salem
1926 Hamlet
1929 Lexington
1933 Greensboro, South
1935 Mount Airy
Died 12-14-37

PEELER, S. A.
1895 Savannah Conference Warren St. (Macon)
1898 Transferred to N. C. Conf.
1902 Greensboro
1905 President, Bennett College
1913 Reidsville
1914 Supt.: Wilmington District
1920 High Point
1926 West Raleigh
1930 Asheville
1936 Greensboro, High Point
1939 Guilford
1941 Greensboro Ct.
1942 Retired
Died 12-3-48

PHELPS, GRANDISON M., SR.
1918 Reidsville
1925 Supt.: Wilmington District
1930 Winston-Salem, St. Paul
1937 Supt.: Western District

1943 Charlotte, Simpson Mem.
1945 Greensboro, St. Matthews
1950 Supt.: Greensboro District
1957 Union Mem., Greensboro

POWELL, THEODORE ALLEN
1958 In School, Gammon Sem.
1959 Catawba Circuit
1960 Forest City
1961 Brooks; Philadelphia

PRINCE, JACOB C.
1904 Austell
1906 Oxford; Bullocks
1908 Asheville
1910 Reidsville
Died 5-23-11

RHYNE, ROBERT B.
1907 Lenoir Ct.
1908 Lincolnton Ct.
1909 Kings Mt.; Stanley Creek
1912 Shelby; Lawndale
1915 Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1918 Hickory
1924 Lenoir
1932 Winston-Salem
St. Andrews
1935 Asheboro, Mitchell
1941 Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1948 Retired
1948 Red Springs
1952 Cool Spot
1953 Beauty Spot
Died September, 1955

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY
1905 Franklin
1906 Madison Ct.
1908 Townsville; Clarksville
1909 Lenoir
1910 Madison Ct.
1912 Walnut Cove
1915 Advance Ct.
1919 Pen Hook; Hale's Ford
1921 Wilmington
1923 Empire
1925 Sherrills Ford
1927 Old Fort
1929 Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1930 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1932 Retired

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY, JR.
1958 Shelby, Brooks
1959 Shelby, Grace Mission
1960 Shelby

ROYSTER, WILLIAM R.
1946 Statesville Circuit
1947 Addie Chapel; Glades;
Old Fort
1948 Marion
1955 Shelby Circuit
1956 South Greensboro
1959 St. Home; Winston

RUSH, J. C.
1918 Oxford
1921 Newport News
1922 East Thomasville
1925 South High Point
1926 Maxton, Piney Grove
1931 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1933 Charlotte
1936 Supt.: Laurinburg District
1939 Hickory
1940 Reidsville
1945 Winston, Mt. Pleasant
Ded 4-21-47

SAWYER, JAMES FRANKLIN
1943 Sanford Ct.
1947 Johns; Beauty Spot
1953 Rowland
1960 Rowland; Salem

SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.
1921 Winston, Mt. Pleasant
1923 Greensboro, High Street
1927 Thomasville
1929 High Point, Brooks Mem.
1931 West Raleigh
1936 Gastonia
1939 Hamlet
1940 Lenoir
1944 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1957 Transferred, Washington
Conference

SHAMBORGUER, NOAH S. T.
1907 Winston; Boston; St. James
1909 Wilmington
1910 Pleasant Ridge
1912 Mayhew Ct.
1915 Kernersville
1917 Asheboro; Mitchell
1919 Lowesville; Stanley
1921 Mooresville, Mayhew
1924 Sherrill's Ford
1925 Greensboro, Northwest
1930 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
Died 10-12-31

SHARPE, RALPH DAVID
1943 Lumberton; New Zion
1949 Maxton
1950 Hickory

SHARPE, ROBERT C.
1933 Thomasville: East; Midway
1937 High Point: Brooks Mem.
1941 Browning; St. James
1944 Greensboro: Northwest
1946 Durham
1950 Warren St.; Mt. Carmel:
Greensboro
1954 Supt.: Laurinburg District
1960 Lenoir

SHIPP, ROBERT JAMES
1998 W. Greensboro
1901 Central Randolph
1902 Statesville, Philadelphia

1904 Shelby; Falston
1906 Sherrill's Ford
1909 West Asheville
1911 Trinity; Liberty
1913 Ramseur
1916 Empire
1917 Oxford
1918 Mt. Airy; Pilto Mt.
1919 Goldsboro
1921 John's; Beaver Dam
1924 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1926 Beauty Spot; New iZon
1930 Advance
1932 Mt. Zion; St. Mark;
1929 Wilkesboro
Hickory Bend
1933 Retired
Died

SHIVERS, JAMES HENRY
1957 Wilmington

SHUFORD, JOHN W.
1915 Goldsboro, New Bern
1916 Lenoir Ct.
1917 W. Asheville; Henderson
1918 Waynesville; West Ashford
1919 Laurendale; Flat Rock
1920 Newton; Conover
1924 Gastonia
1925 Marion; St. James
1928 Greensboro; East
1935 Greensboro; South
1954 Tabor
1954 Retired

SIMPSON, I. GRANTHAM
1947 Charlotte, Mt. Holly
Boulware Chapel
1949 Leaksville
1954 South Greensboro
1956 Transferred to Washington Conference

SIMPSON, JOHN W.
1933 Lexington
1934 Thomasville
1935 Greensboro; Northwest
1942 Retired
Died 7-10-43

SKEEN, DAVID C.
1907 High St.; Basses
1910 Machpelah
1913 Reidsville Ct.
1914 Asheboro; Mitchell
1917 South High Point
1921 East Thomasville
1922 Newport News
1923 Rockingham; Philadelphia
1925 Mt. Zion
1926 Bowman; Mt. Zion
1930 Elkin; Jonesville
1931 Elkin; Jonesboro
1935 Madison. Rock Hill
1939 Elkin
1941 Kings Mountain
1943 Retired
1944 Randleman
1947 Warren Street
1953 Philadelphia
Died 1960

SMITH, HARRY ALEXANDER
1954 Salisbury
1955 Advance
1958 Madison Charge

STATON, BEVERLY E.
1927 Pen Hook
1930 Forest City
1932 Lowesville, McPheeler
1934 Lowesville, Tucker
1937 Empire Ct.
1940 Randleman
1944 Jonesville, Elkin
1947 Elkin
1948 Catawba
Died 5-28-50

STEWART, BENJAMIN W.
1937 Advance; Oak Grove
1938 Forest City
1939 Leaksville
1944 Winston-Salem;
Mt. Pleasant
1945 Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
Chestnut Grove
1949 Madison, Stoneville
Died 1958

STOWE, ARTHUR WILLIS
1942 Boone Ct.
1943 Cornelius Ct.
1945 Denver Ct., Lowesville Ct.
1958 Newton and Granite Falls
1961 Maxton and Bolton

STRICKLAND, CLARENCE B.
1941 Hickory Bend
1943 Goldsboro
1944 Philadelphia; St. Peters
1945 Shelby
1955 Charlotte; Simpson

SWAN, E. I.
1911 Shelby; Lawndale
1912 Hickory
1915 West Asheville
1916 Lenoir
1917 West Raleigh
1918 Statesville; Philadelphia
1920 Marion; Addies
1922 Asheboro
1923 Goldsboro, Rocky Mount
1924 Catwaba Ct.
1925 Greensboro; Northwest
1928 Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1929 Old Fort
1931 Old Fort; Glades
1932 Boone
1938 Beauty Spot; New Zion
1939 Retired
Died 10-3-41

TARPLEY, THOMAS CLEMIE
1943 Walnut Cove; Walkertown
1945 Chestnut Grove
1946 Chestnut Grove; Laughlin Memorial
1953 Randleman; Kernersville
1954 Shady Grove; Cox Chapel
1957 Collins Grove
1960 Ramseur
1962 Brown Summit

TATE, GODFREY LAFAYETTE, JR.
1955 Admitted on trial to Washington Conference
1955 In School
1957 Ronceverte-White Sulphur Springs Charge
1960 Norfolk
1961 Transferred to N. C. Conf.
1961 Norfolk

TATUM, ELMO CHATTMAN
1937 In School
1943 Summerfield, Collins Grove
1945 In School
1946 Southern Pines
1947 Prof., Philander Smith College
1948 Chaplain, Arkansas State College
1949 No record of appt. Chaplain, U. S. Army

TAYLOR, PRINCE A., JR.
1929 In School
1931 Kernersville; New Bethel
1932 Northwest
1933 Greensboro; Northwest
1935 Thomasville
1938 In School
1941 Instructor, Bennett College
1943 Dept. Rel. Rd. Gammon Seminary
1948 Editor; Central Christian Advocate
1956 Elected Bishop

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.
1893 Yadkin
1894 East Greensboro
1896 Centre, Julian
1898 Summerfield
1900 Rowland; Salem
1902 Hamlet
1903 Madison
1905 Lowesville
1907 Forest City; Bracketown
1913 Lenoir
1914 Wilkesboro

THOMAS, D. L.
1914 Lenoir
1916 West Asheboro
1917 Leaksville; Shady Grove
1918 West Raleigh
1922 Oxford; Bullocks
1924 Red Springs
1926 Lumberton
1929 Thomasville
1934 Winston-Salem; Bellview; Mt. Pleasant
1935 West Asheville
1937 Newport News
1939 Trinity; Glenola
1941 Philadelphia; New Zion
1942 Sanford Ct.
1943 Retired

THOMAS, W. O.
1910 Jefferson
1911 Marion; Old Fort
1914 Trinity; Liberty
1916 In School
1917 Suwanee
1918 Fort Street
1919 Covington
1920 Hogansvlle; Corinth
1922 Supt.: Rome District
1926 Leave of Absence
1923 Oak Hill
1927 Sweet Home
1924 Sweet Home
1926 Leave of Absence
1928 Centre Point
1932 Van Buren
1933 New Edinburg
1934 McGehee
1937 Montgomery; Metropolitan
1938 Lafayette
1940 Hamlet
1943 Winston-Salem; St. Andrews
1945 Secretary of Evangelism
1946 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1947 Madison
1949 Retired
Died 3-6-50

TOWNSEND, SAMUEL L.
1940 Philadelphia; New Zion
1941 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1943 Greensboro; Northwest
1944 Wilmington
1945 Reidsville
1948 Lenoir
1960 Supt.: Laurinburg District

TYLER, WILLIAM E.
1959 Transferred from Central Alabama Conference
1959 Basses; Raleigh's Crossroads
1960 Oxford
1961 Newton

TYSON, CHARLES EDWARD
1960 Wilkesboro Circuit
1962 Durham

WALLS, WILLIAM R.
1950 Charlotte; Boulware Chapel
1952 Philadelphia; Hoffman
1953 Greensboro; Laughlins
1954 Withdrawal from the Meth. Church

WEATHERBY, R. T.
1901 Secretary YMCA, Tennessee
1908 Murfreesboro
1910 Nashville
1912 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1918 YMCA Work, U. S. Army
1922 Evangelist; Board of Missions
1923 Field Asst., Sec. Bd. of Missions and Church Ext.
1924 Greensboro; St. Matthews
Died 7-21-40

WEBB, PRINCE WILLIAM
1900 Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1902 Van Buren
1903 Little Rock
1910 Union Grove
1911 Marvel
1912 Fayetteville
1913 In School
1915 Lonoke, Richwood
1917 Hot Springs
1918 Hunter
1921 Forest City; Widener Msn.
1922 Brinkley Ct.
1923 Leave of Absence
1925 Indiana Harbor
1926 Porter
1927 Bufaula
1929 Davis Ct.
1930 St. James
1931 Supt.: Marion District
1933 Little Rock
1934 Fort Gibson
1935 Shawnee Ct.
1937 Nashville Ct.
1939 Danville
1940 Paroloma
1941 Johns; Beaver Dam
1943 Shelby
1944 Ramseur
1948 Lowesville
Died

WELLS, JOHN W.
1899 Raleigh
1900 Hickory; Newton
1901 Lenoir
1903 Forest City
1904 In School
1906 West Asheville
1907 Maxton
1909 High Point
1913 Leaksville
1916 Reidsville
1918 Nashville; Braden
1920 Supt.: Murfreesboro District
1922 Marshall, Texas
1925 New Orleans, Mt. Zion
1926 New Orleans; Trinity
1927 Shreveport
1929 Mobile, Alabama
1930 Greensboro, High Street
1931 Charlotte
1933 Winston-Salem; Belview
Died 6-18-34

WELLS, PINKNEY
1908 Advance, Wesley
1909 South High Point
1911 Mount Airy
1915 Mt. Zion, Bomore
1917 Lexington; Thomasville
1924 Greensboro; East
1927 Leaksville
1929 Hikcory
1931 Maxton, Piney Grove
1936 Reidsville, Wesley Chapel
1940 Greensboro, High Street
1946 Greensboro; Northwest
1947 Greensboro, Browning
1948 Mt. Carmel; Mt. Tabor
Died 1954

WILLIAMS, D. ARTHUR
1909 Franklin
1910 Lenoir Ct.
1911 Salisbury, Morning Star
1912 Wilmington
1919 Trinity; Liberty
1921 Walnut Cove
1923 Madison Ct.
1924 Randleman; St. Mark
1925 Asheboro Ct.
1926 Mount Airy Ct.
1927 Advance
1929 Kernersville
1931 Midway; Chestnut Grove
1932 Sanford Ct.
1933 Charlotte; Madison
1934 Goldsboro
1935 Retired

WILLIAMS, ESAU ALFRED
1957 Shelby
1958 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1959 Mt. Zion; Philadelphia
1961 Cool Springs; Philadelphia

WILLIAMS, J. T.
1960 West Asheville; Franklin

WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.
1901 W. Asheville
1903 Reidsville
1908 Leaksville
1910 Greensboro, St. Matthews
1912 Supt.: Winston District
1918 Greensboro, St. Matthews
1924 Lexington; Thomasville
1925 Laurinburg; Cool Springs

1929 Supt.: Western District
1931 Supt.: Greensboro District
1935 High Point; St. Mark's
1941 Supt.: Greensboro District
1945 Retired
1953 Summerfield, Collins
Died 1958

WOODLAND, HORACE
1934 In School
1935 Dept. Rel. Ed. Morristown College
1936 Boston College
1937 Winston-Salem, St. Paul Assistant
1942 Mount Airy
1945 Director of Youth Work and Religious Education
1946 Conference Youth Counselor
1947 Raleigh
1948 Supernumerary

WOOTEN, THOMAS H.
1931 In School
1932 Newport News
1934 Ramseur
1936 Greensboro, East
1937 Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 Gastonia
1941 Hickory
1946 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1949 Lumberton
1951 Charlotte
1955 Supt.: Western District
Died 1958

APPROVED SUPPLY

CAMPBELL, EUGENE
1940 Bolton
1944 No Appointment
1948 Fairmont; Beaver Dam
1952 Bolton; Wilmington
1953 Pembroke; New Zion
1959 Pembroke
1961 Goldsboro

CARTER, PAUL G.
1942 Andrew's Grove
1945 Advance
1950 Oak Grove
1957 Pilot Mountain

DAVIS, WALTER L.
1955 Fairmont
1958 St. Peters; Southern Pines
1959 Bolton; St. Peters
1960 St. Peters
1961 Sanford Ct.

DOUGLAS, ARCHIE HOWARD
1957 St. Peters; Hickory Bend
1958 Sanfor dCt.
1960 Mooresville Ct.

DULA, BERT
1943 Franklin
1944 West Asheville
1946 Catawba Ct.
1947 Philadelphia
1955 Mount Holley
1960 Stanley
1961 Stanley; St. Paul

ELDRIDGE, LEONARD BLAKE
1954 Walkertown
1956 Mount Airy; Walkertown

GREEN, JAMES EDWARD
1932 Goldsboro
1960 Goldsboro

HILL, CHARLIE ODELL
1946 El Bethel Charge
1949 Catawba Ct.
1951 Lincolnton Ct.
1961 Tucker's Grove; El Bethel

JOHNSON, WALTER NORMAN
1950 St. James
1951 St. James; Zion Hill
1952 St. James; Summerfield

MARTIN, ROBERT MARION
1952 Randleman: St. Peters

McDOWELL, ROBERT HOWARD
1954 Stanley; St. Paul
1957 Catawba Ct.
1959 Galilee; Kings Mt.

McEACHIN, JOHN FRANKLIN
1950 Millers
1956 Hoffman
1957 Hoffman; Millers

McGIRT, D. R.
1957 Hickory Bend; St. Mark
1962 Fairmont and St. Marks

McLEAN, JAMES MONROE
1960 Mundy's Chapel; Brown's Chapel
1961 Mooresboro; Granite Falls
1962 Mooresboro and St. Paul

MILLER, BUFORD CURBIN
1956 Pen Hook Charge

MONROE, JOHN EDMOND
1954 St. Mark
1957 Mt. Zion; New Zion
1958 Fairmont

NAPPER, WILLIE LORENZO
1952 Wentworth Ct.
1954 Kernersville Charge
1958 Brown Summit Charge
1961 Wesley Chapel; Chapel Hill

WARREN, GARLAND LASH
1961 Cox Chapel; Shady Grove

WITHERS, OTTO ABRAHAM
1949 Penhook; Boone's Mill
1955 Jone's Temple
1956 Oak Grove
1961 Glenola; Liberty Grove

WORTH, LEROY
1959 Laurinburg Ct.
1962 Gastonia

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GREENSBORO DISTRICT—Table 1-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP														Church Sch. Membership & Attendance												
	1 Total Full Members Reported Last Year	2 Rec. this year on Profession of Faith or Restored	3 Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	4 Rec. from other Denominations	5 Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	6 Removed by Q. C. Action or Withdrawn	7 removed to other Denom.	8 removed by Death	9 Total Full Members	10 Baptisms—Infants presented by Parents, Guardians	11 aptisms—All Others, Children, Youth Adults	12 Preparatory Mem. now on Roll (Baptized Children)	13 Tot. Officers, Teachers & other Leaders (do not inc. 14, 15, 16)	14 Tot. Children—0-11 Yrs. in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 23)	15 Tot. Youth 12-21 in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 24)	16 Tot. Adults 22 and older in entire Ch. Sch. (inc. col. 25)	17 Tot. Ch. Sch. Membership	18 Avg. Attendance at Sunday School (all ages)	19 Avg. Attendance Sun. Evening Fellowship (all ages)	20 Avg. Attendance Additional Sessions—Children	21 Avg. Attendance MYF Sun. Eve. (include also in col. 19)	22 Avg. Attendance Adults in Ch. Sch. Mtgs. other than Sun. Sch.	23 Nursery Home Members (include also in col. 14)	24 Youth Home & Ext. Members (include also in col. 15)
Basses Chapel, Liston Sellers, Jr.	216							4	212	3		28	27	45	23	55	150	55	20	10	25	12		
Brown Summit, F. F. McCallum	312	2		1			1	4	310	1		43	16	41	32	30	119	48						
Browning Chapel, W. T. Brown	92	3		6	1				100			2	8	30	25	10	73	32	22	12	10			
Celia Phelps, G. H. Caldwell	95	3				19		2	77	6	3	29	10	17	17	37	81	60	35	23	10	12		17
Collins Grove-Holmes Grove, J. A. Gray	121	3	1						125	31	3	3	54	63	62	47	226	95	65	110	27	95		
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove, G. L. Warren	64	2		1				1	66	2		2	15	16	22	22	75	41	13		9			
Durham, J. T. Jones	90	4					2		92	3		30	7	56	14		77				7		3	
Kernersville, Elwood J. Jones	52				8			1	43	6		12	10	9	6	10	34							
Laughlin Memorial, C. C. Armstrong	87	5	1	1		9			85				17	29	14	36	96	45	7	18	22	20		
Leaksville, David S. Harkness	163	3		1		1	1	3	165	5	2	12	19	86	42	58	205	96	12		16		18	
Mt. Tabor, R. F. McCallum	94	2		3		9	2	4	84	2	17	6	11	10	16	26	63	50	18		28			
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill, J. H. Minor	33							2	31				6	15	9	7	37	22						
New Goshen, Eugene Black	192						1	1	190			10	11	32	29	20	92	72	23	40	12	14		
Newport News, Robert E. Sharpe	171			2	41	50			32	2			9	21	8	16	54	30		5		40		
Norfolk, Godfrey L. Tate, Jr.		8	2	29				4	39	3	33	51	15	90	15	5	125	95		35		6		
Oxford Circuit, Charles Bynum	165	2						4	205	4	3	42	6	20	12	16	54	41	33		75	15		
Raleigh, O. W. Burwick	202	3		4				4	205	4	3	42	15	77	20	48	160	75	63	15	17	45		
Raleigh Crossroads, F. D. Caldwell	99	32	1	2	5			4	125	1		11	16	48	22	32	118	80	20		10			
Ramseur, T. C. Tarpley	36	1	1					2	36				6	15	10	10	41	15			10			
Randleman, I. C. Spinks	27	3			7		3		20		3	8	5	4	6	10	25	30	25	10	10			
Reidsville, Joseph Bethea	159	19	4	7	4		4	2	179	3	38	34	15	37	42	27	121	93	16	12	8	9	7	3
St. James & Summerfield, W. N. Johnson	54	13							67		13	20	18	41	32	20	111	60			6			
Saint Matthews, John G. Corry	513	5	6	6	5	3	1	7	514	16	1	143	39	85	30	37	191	129	48	50	15	18		
St. Paul & New Bethel, Wilbur Slade	93								93															
Saint Peters, R. M. Martin	71								71															
Union Memorial, Grandison Phelps	3	9	10	7		4		4	340	4	3	15	20	100	33	22	175	75	15	35	18	15	15	33
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel, Samuel NeSmith	170	14	3	2	1	86		8	94	1		4	15	25	19	24	83	70	15		15			
Wesley & Chapel Hill, Willie Napper	263	28	81	2					392	3	32	28	29	92	39	49	209	130	140	30	18	38		
Empire, A. R. Hall	96				53	4		2	84				14	31	29	30	104	52						
TOTALS	4052	164	110	74	125	185	15	59	4016	2	96	151	513	833	1135	628	704	2900	1591	590	805	318	336	43	58

CHARGE AND PASTOR	ADDITIONAL INFO						W. S. C. S.							PROPERTY & OTHER ASSETS						
	25 Adult Home & Ext. Mem. (include also in col. 16)	26 No. of Ch. Schols on Charge	27 Methodist Pupils & Constituents in Vacation Ch. Schools	28 Ch. School Mem. joining the Ch. on Profession of Faith	29 using or not using Aup. Meth. Lesson Material	30 Ch. Sch. Offering for World Service & Conf. Benev.	31 No. of Societies (not Guilds, groups, or circles)	32 Membership (inc. W.S.G.)	33 Amt. Paid for Local Ch. & Community Work	34 Meth. Mem-No. chartered groups	35 Meth. Mem-Membership	36 No. of "Together" Sub.	37 No. of Organized Churches	38 Est. Val of Ch. Bldgs., Equipment, & Land	39 Est. Val. of Parsonage, Furniture, & Land	40 Est. Val of Other Property (including cash, bonds, etc.)	41 Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages	42 Indebtedness on Current Exp.	43a Known Tithers in Church	53b Avg. Attendance Sunday Morning Worship Services
Basses Chapel, Liston Sellers, Jr.		1	75		6	75	1	85	100	1	58		1	30000		5000		1000	85	
Brown Summit, F. F. McCallum		3			12	100	3	39	130		38		3	31000						
Browning Chapel, W. T. Brown		1		2	5	40	1	15	40	1	6	1	1	20000					56	50
Celia Phelps, G. H. Caldwell	37	1	50	3	8	126	1	25	70		18	2	1	25000					48	
Collins Grove-Holmes Grove, J. A. Gray		2	63	3	6	839	2	22	87		29		2	47157			1500			
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove, G. L. Warren	2	2			4	30	1		200			6	2	15000	2000				20	
Durham, J. T. Jones	1	1		4	5		1	34	100		9		1	38000	3000					
Kernersville, Elwood J. Jones		1											1	2000						
Laughlin Memorial, C. C. Armstrong					3	14	1	23	75		23		1	15000	5000	3000				
Leaksville, David S. Harkness		1	114		7	27	1		279	1	26	4	1	130000	5000	5000	5000			
Mt. Tabor, R. F. McCallum		1	81			25							1	40000			3300			
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill, J. H. Minor		2			3								2	11000						
New Goshen, Eugene Black	7	1	70		8	139	1	25	96		17	1	1	15000					84	79
Newport News, Robert E. Sharpe		2			5						16	3	2	35000	24000		400			
Norfolk, Godfrey L. Tate, Jr.		1			6								1							
Oxford Circuit, Charles Bynum		3											2	76000	35000					
Raleigh, O. W. Burwick		1	70	3		42	1	43	623	1	23	1	1	55000	22000		6469		105	20
Raleigh Crossroads, F. D. Caldwell		1	130	22	7		1	20	10				1	26000						
Ramseur, T. C. Tarpley		1				41	1	20	85					5150	5000					
Randleman, I. C. Spinks		1				25	3						1	20000	5000			32		
Reidsville, Joseph Bethea	9	1	15	14	10		1	33	370		30	1	1	40000	12000	350			117	95
St. James & Summerfield, W. N. Johnson		2	40	12		10	1		85			1	2	20000					30	
Saint Matthews, John G. Corry		1	225				1	70	200	1	22		1	170000	19000		15000		311	128
St. Paul & New Bethel, Wilbur Slade													1							
Saint Peters, R. M. Martin													1							
Union Memorial, Grandison Phelps	22	1	185	6	18	196	1	66	7085	1	25	10	1	87000	1000		8750		200	100
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel, Samuel NeSmith		2	80	8		650	2	12			15	1	2	60000	5000	4800	5400		32	10
Wesley & Chapel Hill, Willie Napper		2	237	14	10	138	2	48	332		46		2	64000			8000		207	107
Emoire, A. R. Hall													2	6500	3000				67	22
TOTALS	78	36	1435	95	138	2541	27	580	3967	6	401	31	39	1143807	141000	18150	98819	1032	1366	611

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CHARGE AND PASTOR	LOCAL CHURCH EXP				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT															
	Paid on Prin. & Int. on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mort., Etc. 44	Paid for Bldgs. & Improvements (Not Inc. Loans, Etc.) 45	Paid Other Current Expenses and Incidentals 46	Paid for Ch. Sch. Lesson Materials, Supp. Adm., etc. 47	Salary Claim: Pastor and Associate(s) 48	Salary Paid Pastor 49a	Salary Paid Associate 49b	Total Paid Pastor and Associate(s) 49c	Paid Travel & Expense—Pastor & Associate(s) 50c	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Apportioned 51a	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Paid 51b	Episcopal Fund—Apportioned 52a	Episcopal Fund—Paid 52b	Inference Claimants' Fund—Apportioned 53a	Conference Claimants' Fund—Paid 53b	Gen. Administration Fund 55	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. & District Adm. Funds 56	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Apportioned 57a
Basses Chapel, Liston Sellers, Jr.		100	270	100	2600	2400		3100	200	169	169	40		3.0	10	8	138	4
Brown Summit, F. F. McCallum			110	100	1400	934	466	1400	100	164	164	28	26	210	65	8	332	6
Browning Chapel, William T. Brown			357	105	1600	1600		1600	800	181	181	32	32	240	240	8	380	4
Celia Phelps, G. W. Caldwell	47	1050	1067	72	800	800	82	882	200		131		16		120	6	211	
Collins Grove-Home Grove, Henry Joyner, Jr.	1000		578	18	1292	1292		1020	272	120	120	19	19	147	147	6	295	6
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove, G. L. Warren		80		35	850			540			114						60	
Durham, J. T. Jones	1328		2098	90	1800	1800		1800	600	128	128	42	33	250	210	2	251	2
Emfire, Arthur L. Hall		416	114	46	900		100	1000	35	145	145	18	18	135	137	6	361	9
Kernersville, Elwood J. Jones					450	415		415		79	72	9	10	65	30	5	76	
Laughlin Memorial, C. C. Armstrong		2000		104	1500	1500		1500	320	132	132	30	30	225	225	4	300	4
Leaksville, David S. Harkness		11000	2065	420	2500	2650		2000	900	385	345	50		375	200	9	120	3
Mt. Taor, C. F. McCallum	2619	2000	750	175	900	800	100	900	200	129	129	16	16	120	120	9	283	5
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill, J. H. Minor				30		440	40	180	100		52		9		66	6	116	4
New Goshen, Eugene Black		528	1196	139	2810	2600	210	2810	600	200	200	40	40	300	300	8	332	3
Newport News, Robert E. Sharpe		310	38					624		120	120		8		38	6	221	
Norfolk, Godfrey L. Tate, Jr.																		
Oxford Circuit, Charles G. Bynum	1000	100		75		1910	150	2060			313		12		40	8	134	6
Raleigh, O. W. Burwick	2790	114	1323	76		3390		3390	280	357	357		59		251	4	364	7
Raleigh Crossroads, F. D. Caldwell		199		97	1300	1300		1300	60	169	169	26	26	175	105	7	7	
Ramseur, T. C. Tarpley			135	29	850	850		850	100	121	121		8		50	3	100	
Randleman, J. C. Spinks			45	40	400	315		315	30	52	52		5		35		57	
Reidsville, Joseph G. Bethea	1550	435	1630	213	3300			3300	200	416	416	68	66	495	500	15	711	7
St. James & Summerfield, W. N. Johnson			397	238	660	660		660	125	103	103	13	13	99	99	7	260	4
St. Matthews, John G. Corry	1667	325	10176	911	5200	5200		5200	300	619	619	104	104	780	780	18	1077	10
St. Paul and New Bethel, Wilbur Slade																	61	
Saint Peters, Robert M. Martin	570	480	210	80	425	425		425	100	67	67	8		63	63	3	100	
Union Memorial, Grandison M. Phelps	1674	1155	1000	190	3550	3550	50	3550	910	365	363	70	70	225	225	15	671	8
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel, Samuel NeSmith				95	2500	2500		2500	350	330	330	51	51			15	559	5
Wesley & Chapel Hill, Willie L. Napper	2900		915	202	2200	2200		2200	100	298	298	44	44	330	330	18	511	
TOTALS	17145	20192	24474	3680	39787	39471	1198	45811*	6882	4847	5411	706	715	4464	4476	204	8452	100

CHARGE AND PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																	
	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Paid 57b	World Service & Conf. Benevolences Apportioned 58a	World Service & Conf. Benevolences Accepted 58b	World Service & Conf. Benevolences Paid 58c	The Great Hour of Sharing 61	TV-Radio Ministry Fund 63	Methodist Student Day 64	Methodist Youth Fund 65	Race Relations Sunday 66	Operational Exp. Colleges, Universities, Seminaries 67	Operational Expenses: Wesley Foundation 68	Capital Expenditures: Coll., Univ. Seminars & Wesley Foun. 69	Conference Advance Specials 72	Church School Rally Day 73	VSCS (inc. WSCF), Cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas. 74	All Other Benevolences 77	Grand Tot. Paid (Not Tot Raised) Cols. 14-17 & 49-77 78
Basses Chapel, Liston Sellers, Jr.	4	168									96			100	100		4395
Brown Summit, F. F. McCallum	6			110	12	14	5	5	15	12	106	47	10		15		2652
Browning Chapel, William T. Brown	4	450	450	140	4	6	6	2	3	20	67	78	6	35	50		4124
Celia Phelps, G. W. Caldwell	4	456	405	125		11				10	73	69		30	100		5089
Collins Grove-Home Grove, Henry Joyner, Jr.	6	154	154	154	9	6	4	4	6	12	72	64	5	65	122		4004
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove, G. L. Warren				10							45	10			60		954
Durham, J. T. Jones	2	343	343	83	10	10	10	5	5	20	40	44	10	80	50		6804
Emfire, Arthur L. Hall	9	203	203	204	5	7	8	5	4	11	72	103	8		18		2732
Kernersville, Elwood J. Jones				10							12		5		10		645
Laughlin Memorial, C. C. Armstrong	4	100	100	100	10	5	5	5	5	18	98	70					4135
Leaksville, David S. Harkness	8	280	280	200	20						90			165	15		17265
Mt. Taor, C. F. McCallum	8	96	96	96	12	3		3	3	12	150	50		28	95		7666
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill, J. H. Minor	4		30	30	2	3	1	1	3	5	47	9	2		30		996
New Goshen, Eugene Black	3	148	148	148	13	9	5	5	5	16	89	75	17		30		6568
Newport News, Robert E. Sharpe	4			72	2	5	2	1	7		73	30	2				1564
Norfolk, Godfrey L. Tate, Jr.															10		10
Oxford Circuit, Charles G. Bynum	6			28	10	5	10	13		15	105		5	40	73		6[illegible]8
Raleigh, O. W. Burwick	7			351	15	10	5		20	5	133	100	15	48	100		9807
Raleigh Crossroads, F. D. Caldwell	4	566	566	168	9	4	6	4	8	15	102	80	8	90	60		2989
Ramseur, T. C. Tarpley	4	90	90	90	6						45	22			75		1538
Randleman, J. C. Spinks				24							36				5		644
Reidsville, Joseph G. Bethea	7	341	341	341	10	10	10	3	10	40	138	152	15	254	100		10126
St. James & Summerfield, W. N. Johnson	4	91	91	91	1	2		1	2	12	57	52	12	19	25		2181
St. Matthews, John G. Corry	10	910	910	910	25	15	20	25	30	153	535	230	40	300	300		23860
St. Paul and New Bethel, Wilbur Slade				40							23	5					129
Saint Peters, Robert M. Martin	2			49							40	30			25		1700
Union Memorial, Grandison M. Phelps	8	516	516	362	13	10	5	5	20	30	168	154	8		135		10741
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel, Samuel NeSmith	5	285	285	285	4	7	5	2	14	23	138	104	2	75	58		4616
Wesley & Chapel Hill, Willie L. Napper	12	212	512	296	10	10	10	5	24	10	124	140	15	82	100		8356
TOTALS	135	5458	5159	5417	202	152	117	89	184	439	2774	1718	185	1413	1791		151158

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Charlotte Mission, Miss Emma R. McLean													5	35	15		50	35				
Cool Spring-Philadelphia, Esau A. Williams	159								159													
Fairmont-St. Peters, Clyde E. Dungee	31	10					1		40		5	14	12	21	15	18	66	39				
Fayetteville, W. R. Royster	335	19		4	10	90	3	6	249	13	73		10	20	25	20	75	65				10
Goldsboro, Eugene Campbell	24			1				1	24		8	8	5	10	6	8	29	22		10		12
Hamlet, O. M. Graham	176	11	3	6	1	13		7	175	26		50	10	30	30	45	115	95	20	10	12	
Hickory Bend & St. Mark, D. R. McGirt	24		1	4	10			3	16			8	5	4	4	13	26	20				
Hoffman-Millers, John McEachin	76	6		2					84	5	4	30	12	40	28	35	87	80	50		50	
Johns-Pembroke & New Zion, Jefferson McCallum	112	1			10	28		3	72	2	1	65	10	17	19	21	67	50				
Laurinburg, George E. Hogue	386	14	5	3					329	23		59	20	71	52	72	224	123	66	45	30	
Lumberton, James W. Ferree	305	6		5	9	145		3	157	5	16	92	17	60	15	38	130	70	30	20	12	20
Maxton & Bolton, A. W. Stowe	226	13			17	35		4	180	2	18	17	20	53	41	25	139	109	20	20	30	31
Piney Grove-Beauty Spot, J. H. McCallum	258								258													
Red Springs, Miles Murphy	178	5	1	1					194	3	5	37	11	48	30	25	114	65	22	18	22	10
Howland-Salem, J. F. Sawyer	428	18		1	33	40		3	361			50	23	20	60	45	148	140	33		33	115
Sanford Circuit, Walter Davis	274	36			50	30	6	6	191			3	50	26	35	37	148	120			10	
Simpson Memorial, C. E. Strickland	320	10	1	5	1			5	332	3	6	38	18	40	28	31	117	80	70	50	30	32
Wall Chapel-Mt. Zion, Leroy Worth	254	2	1	1		28		3	227	3		40	7	20	30	32		45	16		19	32
Wilmington, J. H. Shiver	9	12							21	1			6	17	12	3	38	25	20			
TOTALS	3548	163	12	33	141	419	10	44	3069	86	136	511	241	532	445	468	1573*	1173	347	173	248	230

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CHARGE AND PASTOR			ADDITIONAL INFOR							W. S. C. S.								PROPERTY & OTHER ASSETS						
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43a	43b
	Nursery Home Members (include also in col. 14)	Youth Home & Ext. Members (include also in col. 15)	Adult Home & Ext. Mem. (include also in col. 16)	No. of Ch. Schols on Charge	Methodist Pupils & Constituents in Vacation Ch. Schools	Ch. School Mem. joining the Ch. on Profession of Faith	No. of classes or groups using or not using Apr. Meth. Lesson Material	Ch. Sch. Offering for World Service & Conf. Benev.	No. of Societies (not Guilds, groups, or circles)	Membership (inc. W.S.C.)	Amt. Paid for Local Ch. & Community Work	Meth. Men-No. chartered groups	Meth. Men-Membership	No. of "Together" Sub.	No. of Organized Churches	Est. Val of Ch. Bldgs., Equipment, & Land	Est. Val. of Parsonage, Furniture, & Land	Est. Val of Other Property (including cash, bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages	Indebtedness on Current Exp.	Known Tithers in Church	Avg. Attendance Sunday Morning Worship Services
Charlotte Mission, Miss Emma R. McLean							3								1							
Cool Spring-Philadelphia, Esau A. Williams															2							
Fairmont-St. Peters, Clyde E. Dungee				2		6	3							1	2						16	7
Fayetteville, W. R. Royster				1		15	7	70	1				25		1	100000	7000				175	25
Goldsboro, Eugene Campbell	3			1	12		2	30	1		500				1	30000				14	10	
Hamlet, O. M. Graham	30	20	15	1	50	7	7	300	4		1000	1	20	2	1	65000	8000				80	
Hickory Bend & St. Mark, D. R. McGirt				2									10	1	2	3200					8	
Hoffman-Millers, John McEachin				2									10	1	2	21000	1000		7300			
Johns-Pembroke & New Zion, Jefferson McCallum				3		1			3							6000						
Laurinburg, George E. Hogue	19	68	25	2	112	10		190	4	123	120			3	2	91000	10000	3000	12214	512	98	74
Lumberton, James W. Ferree				1	104	6	8	217	1	28	323	1	30	4	1	55000	6300				84	42
Maxton & Bolton, A. W. Stowe	58	31	31	2	140	11	9	123	1	13	190	1	32		2	29000	6000				141	30
Piney Grove-Beauty Spot, J. H. McCallum															2							
Red Springs, Miles Murphy				1	78	4	9	123	1	95	266	1	18	3	1	57500	4000		1500	375	49	53
Howland-Salem, J. F. Sawyer				2	115				2	40			25		2	30000	2000				200	200
Sanford Circuit, Walter Davis				3		36	9	80					110		3	1500					118	
Simpson Memorial, C. E. Strickland	15	26	20	1	104	4		75	1	82	1122		21	2	1	80000	10000		3000	200		
Wall Chapel-Mt. Zion, Leroy Worth	15			2		3		19	2	30	176		15		2	30000				753		
Wilmington, J. H. Shiver				1			3		1	6					1							
TOTALS	140	145	91	27	715	63	60	227	22	422	3697	4	316	17	32	599200	54300	3 00	24014	834	7	71

LAURINBURG DISTRICT—Table 2-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	LOCAL CHURCH EXP.				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT													
	Paid on Prin. & Int. on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mort., Etc. 44	Paid for Bldgs. & Improvements (Not Inc. Loans, Etc.) 45	Paid Other Current Expenses and Incidentals 46	Paid for Ch. Sch. Lesson Materials, Supp. Adm., etc. 47	alary (Claim: Pastor and Associate(s) 48	Salary Paid Pastor 49a	Total Paid Pastor and Associate(s) 49b	Paid Travel & Expense Pastor & Associate(s) 50c	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Apportioned 51a	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Paid 51b	Episcopal Fund—Apportioned 52a	Episcopal Fund—Paid 52b	Conference Claimants' Fund—Apportioned 53a	Conference Claimants' Fund—Paid 53b	Gen. Administration Fund 55	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. & District Adm. Funds 56	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Apportioned 57a
Charlotte Mission, Mrs. Emma R. McLean																	
Cool Springs-Philadelphia, Esau A. Williams	900	60	236	154			1900		320	320	48	21	90	15		50	
Fairmont-St. Peters, Clyde E. Dungee		22	145	53	800	600	600	5	110	110	12	6	90	90	4	105	
Fayetteville, W. R. Royster	3322						1920	130		185		30		75	10	119	
Goldsboro, Eugene E. Campbell		500	100	20	800	800	800		70	70	5			20		20	
Hamlet, O. M. Graham	2000	500	1000	300	3600		3600		432	432	72	72	540	540		390	
Hickory Bend & St. Mark, D. R. McGirt				15	200	200	200		48	48	4				1	16	
Hoffman-Millers, John McEachin	900	620	95	96	900	900	900	84	110	110	18		125	76	3	53	
Johns-Pembroke & New Zion, Jefferson McCollum		58		128		1632	1632	56	264	264	43	43		102	3	28	8
Laurinburg, George E. Hogue	1481	4765		155	4360		3800	338		480		72		507	10	133	
Lumberton, James W. Ferree	242	175	1150	166	3000	3000	3000	670	340	340	60	60	450	425	7	283	
Maxton & Bolton, A. W. Stowe	90	1150	507	287			1600	100		382	52	18	390	275	13	100	
Piney Grove--Beauty Spot, J. H. McCallum	420	100	695	176			1800			328		30		250		99	
Red Springs, Miles Murphy	620	420	800	225	3000	5000	3000	825	300	300	60	60	450	280	4	156	
Roland-Salem, J. F. Sawyer												47		210		23	
Sanford Circuit, Walter Davis		472	946	309	1700	1700	1750		280	280	22	22	150	150		124	
Simpson Memorial, C. E. Strickland	2883	1005	200	150	4500	4524	4524	300	405	405	70	94	660	660	15	285	
Wall Chapel-Mt. Zion, Leroy Worth	194	11	261	81	2200	1800	1800	300	298	298	24		320		1	139	
Wilmington, J. H. Shiver		2400		40	1000		200			30						36	
TOTALS	13052	12258	6135	2355	26060	18156	33026	2808	2977	4383	5510	575	3275	3675	71	2159	8

LAURINBURG DISTRICT—Table 2-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR	57b Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Paid	BENEVOLENCES 58a World Service & Conf. Benevolences Apportioned	58b World Service & Conf. Benevolences Accepted	58c World Service & Conf. Benevolences Paid	61 One Great Hour of Sharing	63 TV-Radio Ministry Fund	64 Methodist Student Day	65 Methodist Youth Fund	66 Race Relations Sunday	68 Operational Expenses: Wesley Foundation	69 Capital Expenditures: Coll., Univ. Seminars & Wesley Foun.	72 Sonference Advance Specials	73 Church School Rally Day	74 WSCS (inc. WSG), Cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas.	77 All Other Benevolences	78 Grand Tot. Paid (Not Tot Raised) Cols. 44-47 & 49-77
Charlotte Mission, Mrs. Emma R. McLean				3												3
Cool Springs-Philadelphia, Esau A. Williams				97					4						69	3826
Fairmont-St. Peters, Clyde E. Dungee				25	5				3	6	16	22			77	1293
Fayetteville, W. R. Royster				50	7										75	5923
Goldsboro, Eugene E. Campbell																1530
Hamlet, O. M. Graham		350	300	300	7				4	30	168	150		100	107	9700
Hickory Bend & St. Mark, D. R. McGirt										2	3	2			25	312
Hoffman-Millers, John McEachin	2	40	26	10				3		10	49				35	3046
Johns-Pembroke & New Zion, Jefferson McCollum	3	100	100	65	4						40	85			41	2553
Laurinburg, George E. Hogue	10			225			5	1	5	15	99	150			125	12376
Lumberton, James W. Ferree	4	250	150	150	5	5				10	81	75	10	149	65	7072
Maxton & Bolton, A. W. Stowe	4		848	98	12		2	5	10	2	144	25			111	4935
Piney Grove--Beauty Spot, J. H. McCallum	10			150			5	2	10		68	64	10		50	4287
Red Springs, Miles Murphy	4	175	100	52	5	8	10	15	6	25	46	20			92	6973
Roland-Salem, J. F. Sawyer				125							75	100	20		30	630
Sanford Circuit, Walter Davis				50								29			50	4182
Simpson Memorial, C. E. Strickland	10			212	13	10	10	15		63	155	100	15	247	100	11481
Wall Chapel-Mt. Zion, Leroy Worth				19	2				20	10	70	50			5	3262
Wilmington, J. H. Shiver				4								4		38		2752
TOTALS	47	915	1524	1635	60	23	32	41	62	173	1014	876	55	534	1097	86146

WESTERN DISTRICT—Table 1-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												Church School Membership & Attendance											
	1 Total Full Members Reported Last Year	2 Rec. this year on Profession of Faith or Restored	3 Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	4 Rec. from other Denominations	5 Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	6 Removed by Q. C. Action or Withdrawn	7 Removed to other Denom.	8 Removed by Death	9 Total Full Members	10 Baptisms—Infants presented by Parents, Guardians	11 Baptisms—All Others, Children, Youth Adults	12 Preparatory Mem. now on Roll (Baptized Children)	13 Tot. Officers, Teachers & other Leaders (do not inc. 14, 15, 16)	14 Tot. Children—0-11 Yrs. in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 23)	15 Tot. Youth 12-21 in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 24)	16 Tot. Adults 22 and older in entire Ch. Sch. (inc. col. 25)	17 Tot. Ch. Sch. Membership (Cols. 13-14-15-16)	18 Avg. Attendance at Sunday School (all ages)	19 Avg. Attendance Sun. Evening Fellowship (all ages)	20 Avg. Attendance Additional Sessions—Children	21 Avg. Attendance MYF Sun. Eve. (include also in col. 19)	22 Avg. Attendance Adults in Ch. Sch. Mtgs. other than Sun. Sch.	23 Nursery Home Members (include also in col. 14)	24 Youth Home & Ext. Members (include also in col. 15)
Asheville, M. M. McCallum	155	1		2				3	155			20	8	20	20	36	84	38	25	45		15		
Boone-Beaver Creek, O. S. Davenport	22							2	20				4	4	2		10	10				3		
Catawba Circuit, Clifton Scott	127	11	11					1	148	1			16	91	39	46	192	128						
Denver, G. W. Patterson	30		2					2	30			9	10	14	8	22	54	20				10	3	
Forest City-Pnion Mills, Daniel H. McLean	136	19	15	1				4	167		13		7	20	20	13	60	40						
Gastonia, J. T. Campbell	115	1	1					1	116	4		8	8	50	35	30	123	60			8			
Hickory, R. D. Sharpe	353	14			3	9	3	2	350	8	23	12	9	47	53	25	134	100	40					
Hinton Chapel, M. W. Walton	40	2		14				1	27				3	15	5	4	27	15				6		
Kings Mountain-Galilee, R. H. McDowell	174								174															
Lenoir, R. C. Sharpe	340				8	12		4	316				10	68	30	28	136	80	40		12			
Lowesville & St. Paul, Marcus Laughlin	252	19		2				2	273	8		36	32	61	38	50	181	90		12		50		
Marion-Old Fort, J. O. Dula	117	4						1	120			4	18	12	16	50	96	53			9			
Mooresboro-Granite Falls, J. M. McLean	84	11						1	94	8	3		10	7	18	8	43	38	22	12	18	7		
Mooresville, A. H. Douglas	290	20	1	1		10		1	302	5	30	51	16	70	30	45	161	100					70	
Mount Holly, B. L. Burge	123	9	1	22					155	4		54	10	40	25	16	91	50	35	50	10	10		
Newton, W. E. Tyler	140	2	1	2		26		2	117	3	3	11	12	47	16	12	87	50	30		7	12	3	2
Philadelphia-Brooks, T. A. Powell	260	30		1				2	298			60	20	60	40	65	185	30	120		20			60
Shelby-Bessemer, A. E. Robinson	116	3	15	15	3			6	140			38	16	41	33	43	133	81	18	10	12	8	6	4
Stanley-St. Paul, B. J. Dula	100	12						1	111	18	19	60	18	23		40	81	60			15		10	
Statesville Circuit, C. W. Bailey	131	3			5	5	1	1	142			113	16	44	66	28	154	92			28			
Tuckers Grove-El Bethel, C. O. Hill	121	2						2	120		19	15	27	20	18	71	137	78	139	40				
West Asheville-Franklin, Jacob Williams	52	2							54			20	5	23	8	7	43	30	25	30	20	12	14	12
Wilkesboro, Charles Tyson	137	10		1			1	3	145	5	3	23	14	69	40	47	170	130	15		15		5	
	3422	175	47	61	19	62	5	42	3574	64	113	514	289	846	560	686	2381	1373	509	199	174	133	116	78

WESTERN DISTRICT—Table 1-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR	ADDITIONAL INFO					W. S. C. S.							PROPERTY & OTHER ASSETS						
	Adult Home & Ext. Mem. (include also in col. 16)	25 No. of Ch. Schols on Charge	26 Methodist Pupils & Constituents in Vacation Ch. Schools	27 Ch. School Mem. Joining the Ch. on Profession of Faith	28 No. of classes or groups using or not using App. Meth. Lesson Material	29 Ch. Sch. Offering for World Service & Conf. Benev.	30 No. of Societies (not Guilds, groups, or circles)	31 Membership (inc. W.S.G.)	32 Amt. Paid for Local Ch. & Community Work	33 Meth. Men-No. chartered groups	34 Meth. Men-Membership	35 No. of "Together" Sub.	36 No. of Organized Churches	38 Est. Val of Ch. Bldgs., Equipment, & Land	39 Est. Val. of Parsonage, Furniture, & Land	40 Est. Val of Other Property (including cash, bonds, etc.)	41 Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages	42 Indebtedness on Current Exp.	43a Known Tithers in Church	43b Avg. Attendance Sunday Morning Worship Services
Asheville, M. M. McCallum		1	25	1	6	44	1	35	161	1	20		1	85000	25000	5000			100	87
Boone-Beaver Creek, O. S. Davenport		1											2						15	
Catawba Circuit, Clifton Scott		4	50			8	4	35			8		4	7000	1000	6340				
Denver, G. W. Patterson	6	1					1		15				1	4000						
Forest City-Pnion Mills, Daniel H. McLean		1		8	7	75	1		60				2							
Gastonia, J. T. Campbell		1	65		6	20	1	35	100	1	10		1	35000	10000	700				25
Hickory, R. D. Sharpe		2		20		110	2						2	78000	12000					
Hinton Chapel, M. W. Walton		1			3		1	10					1	3500					14	
Kings Mountain-Galilee, R. H. McDowell													2							
Lenoir, R. C. Sharpe							2	32	175				3	65000	15000		3500			
Lowesville & St. Paul, Marcus Laughlin		4	50	19	15	50	4			1	18		4	60000	5000	25000	2000		204	47
Marion-Old Fort, J. O. Dula	6	1	200	4	3		1		300		18		1	50000	10000	300	7875			
Mooresboro-Granite Falls, J. M. McLean		1	20		3	4	1		75		12		2	4500		5000			25	16
Mooresville, A. H. Douglas		4	20	32	4	25	4		5000		30		1	60000	18000		5000			
Mount Holly, B. L. Burge		1	100	5	6	110	1		67		1	3	1	4500		3000				
Newton, W. E. Tyler	8	1	133	1	9	59	1	15	270	1	18		1	39300	15000	1000		98	70	64
Philadelphia-Brooks, T. A. Powell	2	75		2			2	65			25	1	2	55000			6704			
Shelby-Bessemer, A. E. Robinson		1	30	1	10	120	2	58	352	1	20	1	2	25000	8000				82	17
Stanley-St. Paul, B. J. Dula		2	30	9		60	2		75		15	20	2	13000		4000			29	
Statesville Circuit, C. W. Bailey		2			8		2						2	28000	3000		2000			
Tuckers Grove-El Bethel, C. O. Hill		2		2		24	2		100				[illegible]	1300	750		9000	32	35	
West Asheville-Franklin, Jacob Williams	8	1	15		4	16	1	6	100	1	5	7	1	6000					18	6
Wilkesboro, Charles Tyson		2	60	9	10		2		25	2	28		2	55000	6000					
TOTALS	30	109	798	114	94	725	38	291	6875	9	228	32	45	674100	128750	50340	56079	130	592	262

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CHARGE AND PASTOR	LOCAL CH. EXP.				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT															
	Paid on Prin. & Int. on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mort., Etc. 44	Paid for Bldgs. & Improvements (Not Inc. Loans, Etc.) 45	Paid Other Current Expenses and Incidentals 46	Materials, Supp. Adm., etc. 47	Salary Claim: Pastor and Associate(s) 48	Salary Paid Pastor 49a	Salary Paid Associate 49b	Total Paid Pastor and Associate(s) 49c	Paid Travel & Expense—Pastor & Associate(s) 50c	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Apportioned 51a	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Paid 51b	Episcopal Fund—Apportioned 52a	Episcopal Fund—Paid 52b	Conference Claimants' Fund—Apportioned 53a	Conference Claimants' Fund—Paid 53b	Gen. Administration Fund 55	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. & District Adm. Funds 56	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Apportioned 57a
Asheville, Marshall McCallum			2141	225	3120	3120		3120	780	440	440	65	65	468	468	18	573	12
Boone-Beaver Creek, Clifton Scott		100		5		304	15	319			9				50	4	64	
Catawba Circuit, Clifton Scott	720	100	216	30	2000	2000	50	2050		280	280	40	40	300	300	10	427	
Denver, G. W. Patterson			70	50	480	480		480	480	60	60	9	10	72		3	97	
Forest City-Union Mill, Daniel H. McLean													30		125		99	
Gastonia, Joe F. Campbell													42		100	10	223	
Hinton Chapel, M. W. Walton	2437		1295	262	4200			4340	525		500		90		558	15	400	
Hickory, R. D. Sharpe					300					60	60					2	800	
Kings Mountain-Galilee, R. H. McDowell													50				46	
Lenoir, R. C. Sharpe	1861	836	2926	128	3960	3900	60	3960	260	390	390	72	72	585	585	10	430	7
Lowesville & St. Paul, Marcus Laughlin	456	2500	280	89	2430	1800	230	2030	540	440	440	44	46	330	270	5	257	
Marion-Old Fort, J. L. Dula	1058	155	740	67	2000	2000		2000	80	200	200	40	40	300	300	5	105	4
Mooresboro-Granite Falls, J. Monroe McLean	324	400	90	75	908	900	8	908		149	149		6		45		132	
Mooresville, A. H. Douglass	1000	1200	300	270	2800	2500	300	2800	170	340	340	40	40	200	200	20	609	12
Mount Holly, B. L. Burge			450	220	860	800	60	860	75	160	160	16	16	120	120	5	204	4
Newton, W. T. Tyler	580		542	175	2250	2250		2250	350	240	240	45	45	337	337	15	435	7
Philadelphia-Brooks, Theodore A. Powell																	70	
Shelby-Bessemer, A. E. Robinson		25	756	170	2777	2652	125	2777	468	360	360	59	59	335	287	15	400	7
Stanley-St. Paul, B. J. Dula	4000	2000	100	120	900	900		900	150	140	140		20	120	120	6	310	4
Statesville Circuit, C. W. Bailey	2560	490	600	103				1500	500		256		20		250	12	442	
Tuckers Grove-El Bethel, C. O. Hill													10	45	45	2	78	
West Asheville-Franklin, Jacob T. Williams		400	100	50	1000	960		690	30	150	150	14	15	103	36		133	
Wilkesboro, Charles E. Tyson		225	376	150	1910	1800	110	1910	[illegible]	200	135		34		177	10	221	8
TOTALS	15005	8431	10982	2189	31895	26366	958	32894*	4508	3609	4309	444	750	3315	4373	167	6575	65

WESTERN DISTRICT—Table 2-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Paid 57b	BENEVOLENCES																	
		World Service & Conf. Benevolences Apportioned 58a	World Service & Conf. Benevolences Accepted 58b	World Service & Conf. Benevolences Paid 58c	One Great Hour of Sharing 61	TV-Radio Ministry Fund 63	Methodist Student Day 64	Methodist Youth Fund 65	Race Relations Sunday 66	Operational Exp. Colleges, Universities, Seminaries 67	Operational Expenses: Wesley Foundation 68	Capital Expenditures: Coll., Univ. Seminars & Wesley Foun. 69	Sonference Advance Specials 72	Church School Rally Day 73	WSCS (inc. WSCG), Cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas. 74	All Other Benevolences 77	Grand Tot. Paid (Not Tot Raised) Cols. 44-47 & 49-77 78
Asheville, Marshall McCallum	12	324	200	200	29	25	10	10	50	10	45	114	100	20	161	105	8721
Boone-Beaver Creek, Clifton Scott	2			36		2		2			3	31	12	2			641
Catawba Circuit, Clifton Scott	7	150	150	150		6		10		4	22	104	50	10		100	4636
Denver, G. W. Patterson		25	25	25	1	4				2	6	22	72	3		35	1420
Forest City-Union Mill, Daniel H. McLean		150	150	150		5						75	80			50	614
Gastonia, Joe F. Campbell	6			150	5	5				5	20	28	80	10			684
Hickory, R. D. Sharpe		350		250				10		10	5	214	20	20		100	11051
Hinton Chapel, M. W. Walton												69				20	951
Kings Mountain-Galilee, R. H. McDowell				29	6	10						75					216
Lenoir, R. C. Sharpe	7	300	300	300	15	5		21		5	15	208	100	18		84	12236
Lowesville & St. Paul, Marcus Laughlin	5	325	200	200	4	9		13		5		60	25	5	50	100	7389
Marion-Old Fort, J. L. Dula	5	100	50	50	5	5				5		50	50		50	100	5968
Mooresboro-Granite Falls, J. Monroe McLean				58								13	25		48		2273
Mooresville, A. H. Douglass	12	100	100	230	5	5		5		5	21	158	100	5	50	100	7645
Mount Holly, B. L. Burge	4	90	90	90	7	4	5	4	5	5	12	66	45	5		50	2412
Newton, W. T. Tyler	7	125	125	125	5	12	2	5	5	7	30	158	65	5	30	100	2554
Philadelphia-Brooks, Theodore A. Powell												50	50				170
Shelby-Bessemer, A. E. Robinson	7	150	125	125	10	16		20	15	13	19	107	50	15	123	100	5932
Stanley-St. Paul, B. J. Dula	4	104		60	8	8		8	5	2	14	55	30	6	49		8115
Statesville Circuit, C. W. Bailey	7			125	1	9		5		5	15	119	50	12		75	7156
Tuckers Grove-El Bethel, C. O. Hill	1			22		1		2		4	3	20	10			45	243
West Asheville-Franklin, Jacob T. Williams		30	30	16	3					4	5	40	15	5		10	1702
Wilkesboro, Charles E. Tyson	6	160	129	129	11	22	10	10		23	25	91	20	20	76	75	3856
TOTALS	91	2483	1674	2515	115	153	27	125	80	114	260	1927	1049	161	637	1249	98686

WINSTON DISTRICT—Table 1-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													CHURCH SCHOOL Membership & Attendance											
	1 Total Full Members Reported Last Year	2 Rec. this year on Profession of Faith or Restored	3 Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	4 Rec. from other Denominations	5 Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	6 Removed by Q. C. Action or Withdrawn	7 Removed to other Denom.	8 Removed by Death	9 Total Full Members	10 Baptisms—Infants presented by Parents, Guardians	11 Baptisms—All Others, Children, Youth Adults	12 Prepatory Mem. now on Roll (Baptized Children)	13 Total Officers, Teachers and Other Leaders	14 Tot. Children—0-11 Yrs. in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 23)	15 Tot. Youth 12-21 in entire Ch. Sch. (include col. 24)	16 Tot. Adults 22 and older in entire Ch. Sch. (inc. col. 25)	17 Tot. Ch. Sch. Membership (Cols. 13-14-15-16)	18 Avg. Attendance at Sunday School (all ages)	19 Avg. Attendance Sun. Evening Fellowship (all ages)	20 Avg. Attendance Additional Sessions—Children	21 Avg. Attendance MYF Sun. Eve. (include also in col. 19)	22 Avg. Attendance Adults in Ch. Sch. Mtgs. other than Sun. Sch.	23 Nursery Home Members (include also in col. 14)	24 Youth Home & Ext. Members (include also in col. 15)
Advance-Chestnut Gr., I. A. Friend	33	13						2	44				9	8	10	25	52	32						
Asheboro, John W. Jones	208	3	9	3	5	24	3	2	189	6	38	20	18	37	37	56	148	59	15	12	8	10		6
Brooks Memorial, W. S. McLeod	226	18	2	1				2	245	2	17	5	12	54	35	37	138	93	45	25	57	46	46	36
Elkin & Jonesville, James D. Ashford	210	1			7			1	203	1	1	68	16	18	25	31	90	50	15		15			
Liberty Grove, Otto Withers	40	3							43			23	11	17	30	28	86	52					8	
Hoover's & Brooks Temple, G. A. Brooks	133	18		4				4	151	4	22	82	20	60	40	81	201	130	35		38	16		
Lexington, Henry Joyner, Jr.	122	2	1	1	2			2	122	15	7	53	25	93	139	57	314	206	20		20		15	
Madison, H. A. Smith	294	3	1	3				3	298															
Mitchell, J. W. Jones	12	2						2	12			4	2	4	6	10	22	12						
Mount Airy, L. B. Eldridge	63	5							68			11	10	43	15		68							
Oak Grove, L. H. Jones	46	2							48			7	21	31	24	19	95	18	12		12	5		
Penhook, Buford C. Miller	204	1			4			1	200	1	5	25	18	45	50	34	147	40						
Pilot Mountain, P. G. Carter	109	5	3	1				2	116	6	1	72	26	75	54	45	200	138						
Trinity, Wyatt P. Cole	120	2						2	120															
Mt. Pleasant, W. R. Crawford	158	3		4	1	1			163	4	1	12	15	27	15	25	82	45	20	30	22	20		
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove, J. W. Gwyn	257	14	3	16	4		2	2	282	36	15	51	18	36	43	25	122	120	30	40	40	35		
Saint's Home, R. B. McRae	195	4	8	3					210	1	5	31	14	43	39	20	116	70		20				
Saint John's, W. J. Cameron	230	25		2		102		5	150	10	12		27	35	40	15	117	72			20		5	
Saint Mark, John E. Brower	303	15	2	6	6	50	6	8	256	14	6	47	17	30	34	45	126	102	32	33	21		16	39
Saint Paul, L. M. Mayfield	778	34	16	12	6	190	2	12	630	8	10	30	16	65	45	66	192	105	28	26	18	12		
Walkertown, Sophia J. East	11	1	1						13				3	3	6	6	18	9						
TOTALS	3752	174	46	56	35	367	13	50	3563	108	140	541	298	724	687	625	2334	1356	252	76	271	144	90	78

WINSTON DISTRICT—Table 1-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR	ADDITIONAL INFOR						W. S. C. S.							PROPERTY & OTHER ASSETS						
	25 Unit Home & Ext. Mem. (include also in col. 16)	26 No. of Ch. Schools on Charge	27 Methodist Pup ls & Constituents in Vacation Ch. Schools	28 Ch. School Mem. Joining the Ch. on Profession of Faith	29 No. of classes or groups using or not using Alp. Meth. Lesson Material	30 Ch. Sch. Offering for World Service & Conf. Benev.	31 No. of Societies (not Guilds, groups, or circles)	32 Membership (inc. W.S.G.)	33 Amt. Paid for Local Ch. & Community Work	34 Meth. Men-No. chartered groups	35 Meth. Men-Membership	36 No. of "Together" Sub.	37 No. of Organized Churches	38 Est. Val of Ch. Bldgs., Equipment, & Land	39 Est. Val. of Parsonage, Furniture, & Land	40 Est. Val of Other Property (including cash, bonds, etc.)	41 Indebtedness on Buildings, Equipment, Parsonages	42 Indebtedness on Current Exp.	43a Known Tithers in Church	43b Avg. Attendance Sunday Morning Worship Services
Advance-Chestnut Gr., I. A. Friend		2			2	24	1			1	8		2	10000	7000				30	
Asheboro, John W. Jones	6		70	1	7	150	1		60		28		2	10000	25000	5000	3000		78	
Brooks Memorial, W. S. McLeod	3	1	90	16	6	48	1	50	1081		50	2	1	77000					82	
Elkin & Jonesville, James D. Ashford		4	115		12	8	3	45	184	3	28	1	4	80000	10740		16000	248	110	70
Liberty Grove, Otto Withers	8	2		3	6		1	18	20	2	12		2	11000					38	28
Hoover's & Brooks Temple, G. A. Brooks		2	90		12	102	2	35	140	1	14	4	2	126000			14500		98	65
Lexington, Henry Joyner, Jr.		4	120	42	4	154	3	42		1	15		4	94000	6000	450	26428		87	
Madison, H. A. Smith																				
Mitchell, J. W. Jones				2	2	8								10000					12	5
Mount Airy, L. B Eldridge		2												15000		7000				
Oak Grove, L. H. Jones		1	35		5	31	1	15	65	1	7		1	15000					40	23
Penhook, Buford C. Miller		2					2	16			9	9	3	8000	300				103	56
Pilot Mountain, P. G. Carter		3		3	13	144	2	28	43		5		3	28000	1000		6200			
Trinity, Wyatt P. Cole																				
Mt. Pleasant, W. R. Crawford	3	1	75		5	100	2	38	210	1	20	1	1	40000	5500				66	27
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove, J. W. Gwyn	25	2				62	2		230		26		2	105000		10000	9000			
Saint's Home, R. B. McRae		1	150	2	10	100	1	20	350		23		1	100000				200	109	
Saint John's, W. J. Cameron	4	1					1	55		1	75	6	1	35000	10000		3000		110	108
Saint Mark, John E. Brower		1	112	9		35	1	98	1355	1	38	12	1	100000	15000				138	
Saint Paul, L. M. Mayfield		1	100	20		230	1	110	15000		80		1	300000	16000		75000		358	249
Walkertown, Sophia J. East		1			2							1		5000	300				6	7
TOTALS	83	31	967	98	86	496	25	570	18738	12	438	36	31	1169000	96840	22450	153128	448	1465	638

WINSTON DISTRICT—Table 2-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	LOCAL CH. EXP.				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT														
	Paid on Prin. & Int. on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mort., Etc. 44	Paid for Bldgs. & Improvements (Not Inc. Loans, Etc.) 45	Paid Other Current Expenses and Incidentals 46	Paid for Ch. Sch. Lesson Materials, Supp. Adm., etc. 47	Salary Claim: Pastor and Associate(s) 48	Salary Paid Pastor 49a	Salary Paid Associate 49b	Total Paid Pastor and Associate(s) 49c	Paid Travel & Expense—Pastor & Associate(s) 50c	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Apportioned 51a	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Paid 51b	Episcopal Fund—Apportioned 52a	Episcopall Fund—Paid 52b	Conference Claimants' Fund—Apportioned 53a	Conference Claimants' Fund—Paid 53b	Gen. Administration Fund 55	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. & District Adm. Funds 56	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Apportioned 57a
Advance-Chestnut Grove, I. A. Friend			95	42	1093	910	183	1093	50	160	160	19	19		134		268	
Asheboro, John W. Jones	800	500	500	150	3011	3011		2011	322	400	400		60		400	12	512	
Brooks Memorial, W. S. McLeod	1200	4626	2650	325	3380	3380		3380	780	469	469		60		165	8	206	
Elkin & Jonesville, James D. Ashford	6813		1200	345	2400	2160		2160	1100	308	308		50		75	10	336	
Glenola-Liberty Grove, Otto Withers	125	150	219	100	950	953	148	1101		98	98	19	11	152	93	3	173	
Hoover & Brooks, G. A. Brooks	3238	500	1398	98	2000	2000		2000	500	310	310	40	40	300	210	6	365	
Lexington, Henry Joyner	1000		150	50	2860	2600		2600		412	412	54	54		200	8	280	
Madison, H. A. Smith	7193	200	961	364	2690	2690	210	2900	600	319	302	52	47	396	108	10	439	10
Mitchell, J. W. Jones			47	10		240		240		20	20		3		20	2	23	
Mount Airy, L. B. Eldrige			80	1075		789		789	30		200	20	8	153	40	5	99	
Mount Pleasant, W. R. Crawford			544	125	3000	3000		3000	150	283	326	60	60	450	450	8	189	10
Oak Grove, L. H. Jones	200	45	150	60	600	600		600		91	91	14	14			6	140	
Penhook, Buford C. Miller		223	50	135	950	882		882	92	160	160	19	19	142	37	5	319	5
Pilot Mountain, P. G. Carter	8055		548	325	1650	1650		1650	140	221	221	33	33	240	240	8	419	7
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove, J. Wesley Gwyn	2600	1400	2423	120	3900	3900	60	3960	200	516	516	78	78	585	535	12	729	12
Saint's Home, R. B.McRae	7000	7310	1003	420	3300	3300		3300	620	318	318	66	11	225	225	8	267	
Saint John's, W. J. Cameron	2000	1100		100		2800		2805	260	255	340		55		400	10	243	
Saint Mark, John E. Brower		463	3679	298	4090	3900	190	4090	780	540	540	78	78	585	585	15	903	12
Saint Mary, W. P. Cole				75	1800			1800	200	100	100	36	36	270	270	3	135	
Saint Paul, L. M. Mayfield	25250	1616	5228	222	5000			5000		580	580	100	100	750	750	15	952	15
Walkertown, Sophia East				500	250	129		129		15	15	5	2	37	6	1	16	
TOTALS	5624	5575	5883	693	838	4285	4993	155	7013	71	65474	18133	20925	4939	42832	38894	791	46490*	

WINSTON DISTRICT—Table 2-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR	57b Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Paid	BENEVOLENCES: 58a World Service & Conf. Benevolences Apportioned	58b World Service & Conf. Benevolences Accepted	58c World Service & Conf. Benevolences Paid	61 One Great Hour of Sharing	63 TV-Radio Ministry Fund	64 Methodist Student Day	65 Methodist Youth Fund	66 Race Relations Sunday	67 Operational Exp. Colleges, Universities, Seminaries	68 Operational Expenses: Wesley Foundation	69 Capital Expenditures: Coll., Univ., Seminars & Wesley Foun.	73 Church School Rally Day	74 WSCS (inc. WSG), Cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas.	77 All Other Benevolences	78 Grand Tot. Paid (Not Tot Raised) Cols. 44-47 & 49-77
Advance-Chestnut Grove, I. A. Friend	10	166	166	166	3	11	2		3	10	54	110	10	36	100	2375
Asheboro, John W. Jones	8			200	12	8	8	5	9	30	157	150	10		100	7364
Brooks Memorial, W. S. McLeod	3			250	11				9	5	110	50	6	235	100	14648
Elkin & Jonesville, James D. Ashford	10	220	220	180	10				16		158	60	5	18	40	12894
Glenola-Liberty Grove, Otto Withers	2	90	90	90	2		3		5	9	68	76	5	76	22	2431
Hoover & Brooks, G. A. Brooks	4	135	135	135	3	12			10	25	65	110	14	115	170	9328
Lexington, Henry Joyner	7	150	150	150	5	8	7	7	12	43	63	100	12		50	5212
Madison, H. A. Smith	8	260		104	5	9	7		8	43	77	144	9	42	57	13437
Mitchell, J. W. Jones	1			10	1	(1)	1			2	12	15	4			409
Mount Airy, L. B. Eldrige		125		40	3				2		37	92	4		15	2519
Mount Pleasant, W. R. Crawford	10	220	220	220					22		89	50	15	176	100	5531
Oak Grove, L. H. Jones	5			45	8		5		3	15	43		7		50	1487
Penhook, Buford C. Miller	5	65	65	65		10	5		15	15	57	25	8	57	50	2234
Pilot Mountain, P. G. Carter	7	225	225	225	16	11	3		16	27	179	125	14	122	100	12484
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove, J. Wesley Gwyn	12	475	475	475	15	15	10		11	25	124	150	15	400	100	13975
Saint's Home, R. B.McRae		250		150							65	50			75	20822
Saint John's, W. J. Cameron		225	225	200	9			3			135	75		410	80	8225
Saint Mark, John E. Brower	12			553	10	5	10	5	8	40	205	200	15	430	150	13074
Saint Mary, W. P. Cole				75							41		7		100	2942
Saint Paul, L. M. Mayfield	15	1000	1000	1000	25	10	15		10	50	270	100	30	772	100	42110
Walkertown, Sophia East		10	10	10		1					12					692
TOTALS	119	3616	2981	4343	138	101	76	14	159	339	2021	1682	187	2889	1559	194094

RECAPITULATION—Table 2-A

CHARGE AND PASTOR	LOCAL CHURCH EXP.				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT															
	Paid on Prin. & Int. on Old Indebtedness, Loans, Mort., Etc. 44	Paid for Bldgs. & Improvements (Not Inc. Loans, Etc.) 45	Paid Other Current Expenses and Incidentals 46	Paid for Ch. Sch. Lesson Materials, Supp. Adm., etc. 47	Salary Claim: Pastor and Associate(s) 48	Salary Paid Pastor 49a	Salary Paid Associate 49b	Total Paid Pastor and Associate(s) 49c	Paid Travel & Expense—Pastor & Associate(s) 50c	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Apportioned 51a	Dist. Superintendent's Fund—Paid 51b	Episcopal Fund—Apportioned 52a	Episcopal Fund—Paid 52b	Conference Claimants' Fund—Apportioned 53a	Conference Claimants' Fund—Paid 53b	Gen. Administration Fund 55	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. & District Adm. Funds 56	Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Apportioned 57a
Greensboro, Rev. L. A. Brown	17145	20192	24474	3680	39787	39471	1198	45811	6882	4847	5411	706	715	4464	4476	204	8452	100
Laurinburg, Rev. S. L. Townsend	13052	12258	6135	2355	26060	18156		33026	2808	2977	4383	5510	575	3275	3675	71	2159	8
Western, Rev. H. W. Phillips	15005	8431	10982	2189	31895	26366	958	32894	4508	3609	4309	444	750	3315	4373	167	6575	65
Winston, Rev. J. J. Patterson	65474	18133	20925	4939	42932	38894	791	46490	5624	5575	5883	693	838	4285	4993	155	7013	71
Total	110876	59014	62516	13163				158221	19822		19986		2878		17517	597	4199	
Total Last Year	63577	143428	72122	10931				156426	12984		17145		2907		14378	567	21977	
Increase	47099	-		2232				1795	6835		2841				3139	30	2222	
Decrea e		84414	9606										29					

RECAPITULATION—Table 2-B

CHARGE AND PASTOR		BENEVOLENCES								OTHER CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES							
	57b Interdenominational Co-op Fund—Paid	58a World Service & Conf. Benevolences Apportioned	58b World Service & Conf. Benevolences Accepted	58c World Service & Conf. Benevolences Paid	61 One Great Hour of Sharing	63 TV-Radio Ministry Fund	64 Methodist Student Day	65 Methodist Youth Fund	66 Race Relations Sunday	67 Operational Exp. Colleges, Universities, Seminaries	68 Operational Expenses: Wesley Foundation	69 Capital Expenditures: Coll., Univ. Seminars & Wesley Foun.	72 Conference Advance Specials	73 Church School Rally Day	74 WSCS (inc. WSG), Cash sent to Dist. & Conf. Treas.	77 All Other Benevolences	78 Grand Tot. Paid (Not Tot Raised) Cols. 44-47 & 49-77
Laurinburg, Rev. S. L. Townsend	135	5458	5159	4517	202	152		117	89	184	439	2774	1719	135	1413	1791	151158
Greensboro, Rev. L. A. Brown	47	915	1524	1635	60	23		32	41	62	173	1014	876	55	534	1091	86146
Western, Rev. H. W. Phillips	91	2483	1674	2515	115	153	27	125	80	114	260	1927	1049	161	637	1249	98686
Winston, Rev. J. J. Patterson	116	3616	2981	4343	138	101		76	14	159	339	2021	1682	187	2889	1559	194094
Total	392			13010	515	429	27	35	224	519	1211	7736	5325	588	5472	5696	530084
Total Last Year	401			12943	297	405	10	334	243	485	440	5447		657	5422		
Increase	9			67	218	24	17	16		34	471	2289	5325		50	5696	
Decrease	9								19					69			

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